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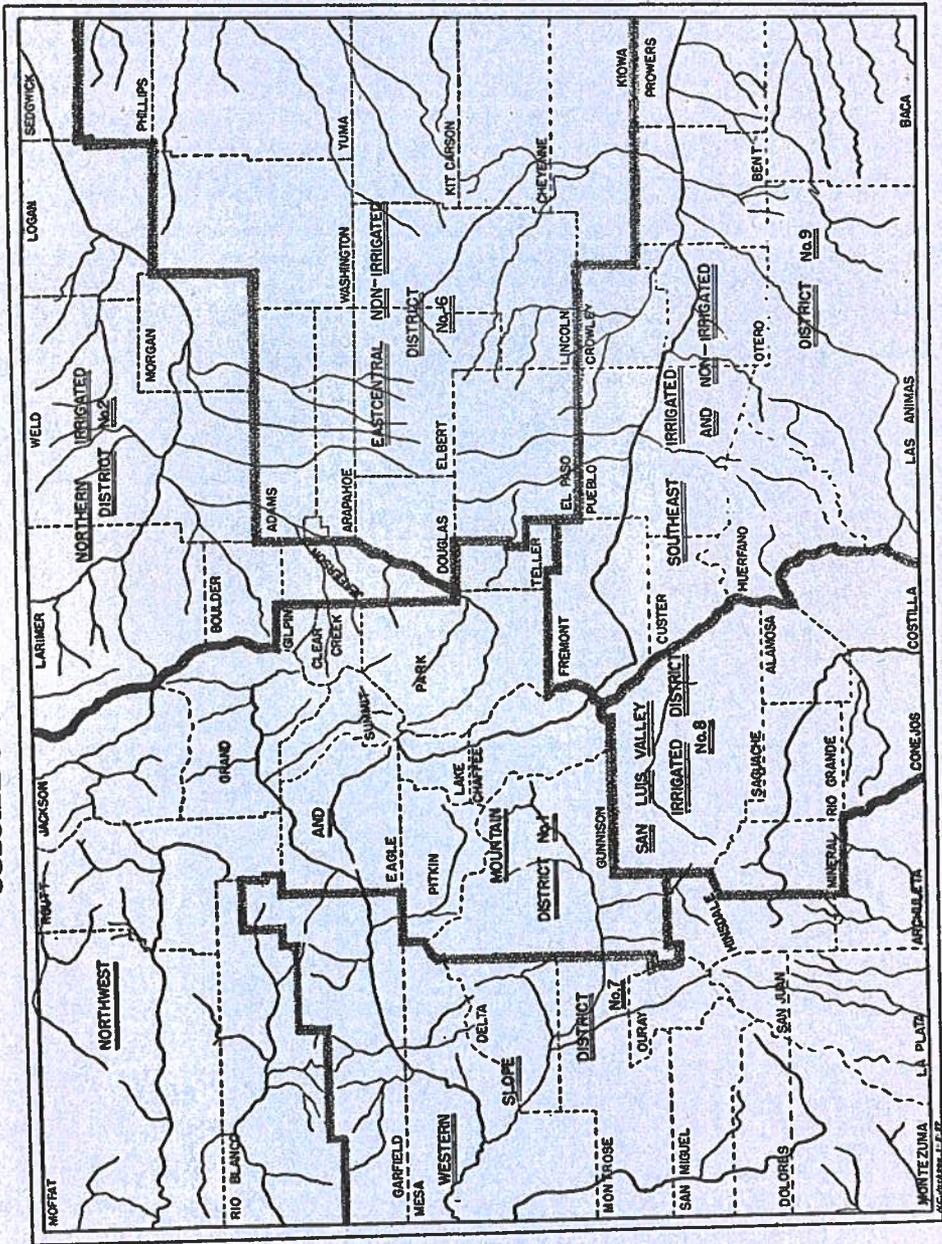
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REVIEW OF THE 1952 CROP SEASON

The combined value of principal field and fruit crops produced in Colorado during 1952 was above 1951 and average. This comparatively large production resulted primarily from record-high per-acre yields of the principal cash crops of potatoes, beans and sugar beets, together with large production of winter wheat and alfalfa hay. It was a good year for fruit production in western counties but very poor in the east. On the whole, the crop year of 1952 was one of extremes in production. Crops were exceptionally good in all irrigated areas except the eastern Arkansas Valley where hot weather and shortage of irrigation water restricted the yields of late crops. Yields were also low in local hauled areas elsewhere in eastern Colorado. Irrigation water was mostly adequate. The mountain and western areas had a very favorable season for both grazing, hay and other crop production. The southwest had one of its best years as did the 1½ mile high San Luis Valley in south central Colorado. It was a year of very short production of feed grains and hay in the east central and southeastern non-irrigated portions of the state. There was much distress selling of livestock, principally cattle from counties in these sections. It was a poor year for barley and sorghums, primarily because of very dry and hot weather after mid-June. Sorghums and corn made a better showing than expected, however, as a result of reserve subsoil moisture together with scattered showers and an unusually late frost date. Fall weather was very favorable for maturing and harvesting late crops. Quality was good. Although abandonment of crops in the eastern plains area was quite large, the total acreage of crops harvested was about 5 percent larger than in 1951.

Receipts from the sale of farm products during 1952 totalled \$600 million, a new high record. This compared with \$572 million in 1951 and the previous record high of \$568 million in 1948. The comparatively large income resulted partly from large production and sales of principal cash crops and from partial liquidation of the cattle inventory in eastern drought areas. In this connection, it should be noted that this increased income from sales resulted in reduced year-end inventory in these areas. Farm costs continued to rise and narrowed profit margins. Farm wages in all categories were much the highest of record and notably higher than in 1951. Although aggregate income was large, the net was small in many cases.

Wheat—Winter wheat production totalled 54,442,000 bushels compared with 33,250,000 bushels in 1951 and 34,872,000 bushels the 10-year average. The large 1952 crop resulted from good yields in the northeastern quarter of the state and in the southwest. Southeastern counties experienced their third short crop. A new record crop seemed assured on June 1 but dry, hot weather thereafter curtailed production sharply.

Seedings of winter wheat during the fall of 1951 were the largest of record at 3,749,000 acres. This was an increase of 6 percent from the previous record-high of 3,548,000 acres planted in the fall of 1950 for the 1951 crop. Plantings for the 1952 crop were larger than the previous year, especially in east central and northeastern areas and in the western part of the state, especially the southwest. In the southeast, plantings were actually smaller, due to dry weather, than the unusually large area seeded in the fall of 1950. The Colorado winter wheat industry has grown from approximately 1¼ million acres 10 years ago to its present high level. If the amount of land used in summer fallow ground to be used for winter wheat is included, the total amounts to over 6 million acres used primarily for winter wheat production or more than half the total area cultivated in the state.

Acreage of winter wheat harvested in 1952 totalled 3,111,000 acres, also a record high and considerably above the 2,375,000 acres cut in 1951. Average yield per acre at 17.5 bushels in 1952 was considerably above the year before when the average was 14.0 bushels. The 1952 crop was valued at \$111,606,000 compared with \$70,158,000 for the 1951 crop.

Spring wheat production totalled 1,462,000 bushels in 1952 against 1,620,000 bushels in 1951. Most production was from irrigated land, thus accounting for the relatively high production from the much smaller acreage, 65,000 acres harvested in 1952 as compared with 108,000 acres in 1951. The yield per acre was 22.5 bushels against 15.0 bushels.

Potatoes—Potato production at 19,250,000 bushels in 1952 was exceeded only by the 1946 crop of 19,505,000 bushels and the 1948 crop of 20,880,000 bushels, and was sharply higher than the short crop of 12,240,000 bushels harvested in 1951. Average production is 17,627,000 bushels. The crop was good generally, being exceptionally so in the San Luis Valley. Growing conditions in that area were quite favorable throughout the season and irrigation water supplies were adequate. The net increase in acreage planted, 51,000 in 1952 as compared with 50,000 in 1951, took place in the San Luis Valley. Potato acreage in northern Colorado and on the Western Slope declined slightly from the year before.

The state average yield per acre of 385 bushels was much the highest of record. The 1951 yield was 255 bushels and the 10-year average 246 bushels. Prices were high early in the season and averaged \$1.71 for the season as a whole. Late season prices were off sharply. Only the \$1.81 average for the 1951 crop exceeded that of 1952. Total value of the 1952 crop was placed at \$32,918,000, second highest of record.

Sugar Beets—It was an exceptionally good year for sugar beets. Yield per acre at 17.2 tons was much the highest ever obtained. Yields were high in all principal areas but were unusually so in northern Colorado. With the exception of 1948, the acreage was the smallest in many years but the season was promising from planting time through harvest. Adequate irrigation water, late frost dates in most areas, and abundant fall sunshine produced high sugar content.

Production totalled 1,941,000 tons against 1,906,000 in 1951 and 1,892,000 tons the 10-year average. Favorable weather conditions and machine topping and loading resulted in an unusually early harvest.

Dry Beans—The 1952 crop of dry beans totalled 1,820,000—100 pound bags, principally due to record high yields obtained from irrigated beans in northern Colorado. The 1951 bean crop totalled 1,563,000 bags and the 10-year average 2,012,000 bags. Estimated planted acreage at 184,000 acres was the smallest area planted to beans since 1922. Acreage harvested at 175,000 acres fell below 200,000 acres for only the second time since 1923 and was the smallest since 1934. Although acreage was small in the southwestern dry land area, yields were above average and the crop much above the short 1951 take. The average yield per acre for irrigated beans was 1,760 pounds against 1,400 pounds in 1951. Yield per acre on non-irrigated land was also exceptionally high at 430 pounds per acre. Quality was outstanding as a result of a good growing season and favorable harvest weather.

Corn—Total corn production for 1952 was estimated at 12,854,000 bushels. The 1951 crop was near average at 14,482,000 bushels. Production of corn for grain at 5,512,000 bushels was fully one-third less than the 1951 total. Acreage of corn harvested in 1952 was only 451,000 acres, the smallest total since 1911 and 19 percent under the 1951 total of 557,000 acres harvested. The cut in 1952 acreage was wholly on non-irrigated land where corn was supplanted by winter wheat. Irrigated acreage was larger and an unusually large acreage of irrigated corn was harvested for silage in 1952 in an effort to conserve maximum feed value. Percentage of total acres harvested that was harvested for grain was exceptionally small due to the large silage acreage cut from irrigated land and because of the generally dry conditions which prevailed in the non-irrigated areas. Total tonnage of corn cut for silage in 1952 was a record high at 1,406,000 tons.

Irrigated corn made a record high yield in 1952 of 51.5 bushels. Unusually low yields per acre were recorded for the eastern non-irrigated fields with the state-wide average for all non-irrigated corn being 10.5 bushels.

Oats—The largest acreage planted to oats since 1924 was recorded for the spring of 1952 at 263,000 acres. A substantial increase in plantings took place in all areas of the state except the east central and northeastern sections. The largest increase over the year before occurred in the San Luis Valley where the acreage was sharply curtailed in 1951 by lack of irrigation water. Acreage of oats harvested for grain in 1952 totalled 191,000 acres compared with 132,000 acres in 1951. Very little oats was harvested from eastern non-irrigated fields due to excessive temperatures and dry weather after mid-June. Abandonment on non-irrigated land was unusually great. The larger oats acreage on irrigated land produced a fairly good oats crop even though weather was unfavorable. Production totalled 5,826,000 bushels against 5,187,000 in 1951.

Barley—Production of barley in 1952 totalled 8,612,000 bushels against 9,541,000 in 1951 and 16,477,000 bushels the 10-year average. An average yield of 26.5 bushels per acre was taken from the 325,000 acres harvested in 1952. Acreage harvested in 1951 totalled 406,000 acres, and the yield averaged 23.5 bushels per acre. Acreage planted to barley in 1952 was the smallest since 1935, the total for both winter and spring plantings being only 435,000 acres. The acreage sown to winter barley in the fall of 1951 was almost nil as most of this land went to winter wheat. In addition to this limiting factor, spring barley was not extensively seeded as a replacement for abandoned winter wheat. Abandonment of acreage planted to barley was estimated at 25 percent for the 1952 crop compared with 22 percent for the 1951 crop. For the most part, abandonment during 1952 took place soon after mid-June when unfavorable weather conditions were widespread over the eastern non-irrigated areas.

About 80 percent of the 1952 barley production was obtained from irrigated land with 188,000 acres harvested at an average yield of 37 bushels. Only 137,000 acres of non-irrigated barley were harvested with an average outturn of 12 bushels per acre.

Sorghums—Unfavorable planting conditions and dry weather throughout the summer in the southeast counties of the state resulted in a sorghum grain crop of only 896,000 bushels. This was about one-third as large as the 1951 crop and average. The average yield of 8 bushels per harvested acre was the lowest since 1939. Forage tonnage in 1952 was much lower than in 1951 and below average at 309,000 tons. The 1951 crop totalled 490,000 tons. Acreage of all sorghums planted for all uses in 1952 totalled 639,000 acres. This compared with 819,000 a year earlier. Abandonment of planted acreage was large and the total area harvested for all purposes was only 429,000 acres, smallest in many years.

The average price per bushel for the 1952 crop of sorghums for grain was the highest of record at \$1.47.

Hay Crops—Adequate irrigation water together with an unusually long growing season developed one of the largest alfalfa hay crops of recent years. Production totalled 1,654,000 tons against 1,342,000 tons in 1951 and 1,362,000 tons the 10-year average. This large production of alfalfa coupled with about average production of wild hay and other tame hays brought total hay production to 2,436,000 tons, notably higher than the short 1951 crop of 2,026,000 tons and the 10-year average of 2,212,000 tons. A great deal of this hay, especially alfalfa, was shipped out of the state beginning early in the season and continuing into the fall. The crop in eastern non-irrigated areas was very small and caused genuine hardship for many stockmen.

The average yield per acre for all hay of 1.74 tons per acre harvested in 1952 was the highest of record. Prices received for the crop averaged \$2.40 below the record \$32.60 per ton received for the 1951 crop, and value of the 1952 hay crop in Colorado was placed at \$73,567,000. This compares with a total value of \$66,048,000 estimated for the 1951 crop and was the highest ever recorded.

Broomcorn—Production of broomcorn in 1952 fell to the lowest point in 15 years with only 3,600 tons produced. This compared with the 10-year average of 12,200 tons and 1951 production of 8,300 tons. Although a 15 percent increase in planted acreage was recorded in 1952 over 1951, a much greater abandonment was experienced. Only 58,000 acres were harvested in 1952 whereas 74,000 acres were cut in 1951. Yield per acre at 125 pounds was the lowest since 1935. Price per ton received for the 1952 crop was \$365.00 and value totalled \$1,314,000. This was considerably less than half the value of the 1951 crop which totalled \$3,528,000 as a result of larger tonnage and a record high price of \$425.00 per ton. Quality of the 1952 crop was much better than that of 1951.

Because of this small crop Colorado fell from its usual second to third place among the states as a producer of broomcorn.

Alfalfa Seed—Production of alfalfa seed in 1952 totalled 2,990,000 pounds of clean seed. This was nearly 50 percent greater than the 2,000,000 pounds produced in 1951 and was more than 50 percent above the 10-year average of 1,964,000 pounds. The increase in production in 1952 was due to a larger acreage harvested and a higher yield per acre—115 pounds in 1952 as compared with 85 pounds in 1951. The increase in the acreage harvested in northeastern Colo-

rado more than offset a moderate reduction in the Arkansas Valley. Principal producing counties in Colorado are Prowers, Bent, and Otero in the Arkansas Valley; Garfield and Mesa on the Western Slope; and Logan, Morgan and Yuma in northeastern Colorado.

Sweetclover Seed—Production of cleaned sweetclover seed during 1952 totalled 2,500,000 pounds compared with 1,400,000 pounds in 1951 and 2,214,000 pounds the 10-year average. The average price received for the 1952 crop was the lowest of recent years at \$8.70 and value of the 1952 crop was placed at \$218,000.

FRUIT CROPS

Apples—The commercial apple crop in 1952 totalled 1,320,000 bushels. This compared with 1,292,000 bushels in 1951 and 1,395,000 bushels the 10-year average. The crop was very short in eastern Colorado and fairly so in the southwest, but Delta County, the principal carlot shipping area, had a crop somewhat better than in 1951. Apples developed well and had good size and color. Prices received for the 1952 crop were generally better than those a year earlier and averaged \$2.05 per bushel compared with \$1.75 in 1951. Total value of the 1952 crop was placed at \$2,706,000, 47 percent greater than the value of the 1951 crop.

Estimates of commercial apples relate to production in seven commercial counties (Larimer, Delta, Garfield, Mesa, Montezuma, Montrose and Fremont), which produce about 95 percent of the total apples produced in the state.

Peaches—The 1952 peach crop was estimated at 2,053,000 bushels. This compared favorably with the 10-year average of 1,881,000 bushels and was more than 6-fold the small 1951 crop of 316,000 bushels. The crop was good in all producing areas, but there were many small peaches.

Both State and Federal marketing agreements were in effect and small sizes as well as some desirable fruit were withheld from the market. An average price of \$2.30 per bushel was received for sales of 1952 crop peaches. The short 1951 crop averaged \$3.85 per bushel.

Pears—For the second successive year, gains were recorded in pear production. The 1952 crop totalled 208,000 bushels, 8 percent greater than the 1951 production of 193,000 bushels. The 10-year average, 1941-50, was 187,000 bushels. Value of the 1952 pear crop was placed at \$468,000.

The **Sour Cherry** crop was a near failure in eastern Colorado due to tree removals, lowered vitality of trees, and hail, but the outturn was quite good in the western area which is the minor producing section. The 1952 crop totalled only 1,050 tons, the smallest production in 15 years of record.

Sweet Cherry production figures revealed a record sweet cherry crop in 1952 of 1,020 tons against 380 tons in 1951 and 466 tons the 10-year average. The average price per ton dropped drastically from \$390 per ton in 1951 to \$220 in 1952. Although production in 1952 was nearly 3 times as great as in 1951, value of the crop was only 50 percent greater.

COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES

The 1952 season was exceptionally favorable for the Colorado commercial vegetable industry. The combined production of principal vegetable crops grown for fresh market and for processing was 5 percent more than in 1951 although grown on 10 percent less acreage. Gross farm value of these crops was 22 percent greater in 1952 than a year earlier. Extremely high temperatures caused some damage in the early stages of the growing season, but the water supply was generally ample for irrigation and plant development was rapid. A major contributing factor in the excellent 1952 showing was the long growing season with late summer and fall weather of the most favorable type for maturing and harvesting late crops. Onions in the Arkansas Valley suffered much less hail and disease loss than usual. The San Luis Valley had one of its best years for lettuce, peas, cabbage and cauliflower. The season was likewise quite favorable in the Denver northern Colorado district and in the Western Slope vegetable district situated in Delta, Mesa and Montrose Counties where onions made a good showing.

A total of 41,300 acres of commercial vegetables grown for harvest in 1952 yielded an aggregate production of 279,400 tons valued at \$16,858,000. In the 1951 season, 46,000 acres produced 267,300 tons of vegetables worth \$13,798,000. Comparing records dating back to 1928, 11 crops produced higher yields per acre in 1952 than a year earlier with 9 of them reaching record or near-record high outturns. It was also a season of excellent quality produce and comparatively high prices. Practically all crops sold for prices above the average of recent years, with more than half of them either setting new record highs or approximating previous record high levels.

Onions continued to hold first place among the vegetables in acreage, volume of production and farm value, despite the fact that the area harvested in 1952 was the smallest since 1938. The outstanding feature of the 1952 onion deal was the average price received by growers of \$2.10 per 50-pound sack which equalled the record high set in 1947. The nearest approach to this figure was \$1.40 in 1945. Consequently, the gross farm value of the onion crop, estimated at \$6,065,000, accounted for more than one-third of the combined value of all commercial vegetables produced in 1952. Cabbage held second spot as a money producer in 1952 with an aggregate value of \$2,048,000. Production was below average as a result of reduced acreage for harvest but the total value was enhanced significantly by record high prices received for the early crop and the second highest of record for the late crop. This was one of the best seasons of record for the cabbage crop. Favorable late summer and fall weather contributed to the best tomato season in many years. Record high yields failed to offset the reduction in acreage, resulting in below average production. However, the second highest prices of record received for both fresh market and processing sales boosted the total farm value of tomatoes into third position as a money crop, with a total of \$1,757,000. Celery, cucumbers and lettuce also exceeded one million dollars each in farm value in 1952.

REVIEW OF THE 1953 CROP SEASON

(Preliminary Estimates)

The aggregate production of principal field and fruit crops harvested in Colorado during the 1953 season was slightly below 1952 and average. The decline from 1952 resulted primarily from smaller crops of wheat, oats, and fruit. Despite this decline, the gross output attained from crops in 1953 remained at a comparatively high level. On the whole, when considering the many production hazards experienced during the growing season, the volume of the 1953 crops produced was a credit to Colorado agriculture. Drought conditions for the fourth successive year in a number of southeastern counties limited vegetative growth and caused heavy abandonment of acreage sown to wheat and other crops. The total acreage of crops harvested was about 5 percent smaller in 1953 than in 1952. Late spring frosts and freezing temperatures materially curtailed the volume of fruit produced and marketed. Irrigation water was mostly adequate for crop needs. Although in a few areas the combined flow of ditch and pump water was barely sufficient for minimum requirements, water applied in most instances was sufficient to stimulate some crops to bumper or near bumper yields per acre. Yields per acre attained for corn harvested for grain set a new record high while yields of the principal cash crops of sugar beets, dry beans, and potatoes were second only to the record yields attained in 1952. Over-all volume of feed grains, hays and other roughages exceeded that produced in 1952.

Preliminary estimates of receipts from the sale of farm products during 1953 totalled over \$523 million. This is below the record high income of nearly \$600 million in 1952 and the second highest level of \$572 million in 1951. The 1953 total, however, exceeded the cash income level for the two years 1949 and 1950. The smaller production of crops and lower prices received for several agricultural commodities, particularly cattle, sheep, dairy products, and potatoes, were factors lowering the cash income level in 1953. Farm wage rates eased downward about the middle of 1953 and late in the year were slightly lower than the record high wages paid a year earlier. Other farm operating costs continued relatively high, lowering profit margins and resulting net income.

Wheat—The production of winter wheat from the 1953 crop was placed at 40,502,000 bushels, about one-fourth smaller than the 1952 crop of 54,442,000

bushels but nearly 13 percent above the 10-year (1942-51) average. As was the case in 1951 and 1952, an unusually large proportion of the 1953 wheat crop was produced in the northeastern quarter of the State. Loss of acreage was large in the southeastern quarter, especially in the counties bordering on Kansas and particularly in Baca County where most of the acreage was lost. Although some difficulty was experienced with disease and pests which thinned some already poor stands, loss was primarily due to absence of sufficient moisture at planting time, wind erosion and inadequate moisture during much of the growing season. Thin stands in the southeastern quarter, which did survive, filled well and generally yielded better than expected.

In the northeastern quarter of the State, hot, dry June weather caused some premature ripening but the grain came through with generally good test weight and quality. Hail loss was extensive in Phillips County, the southwestern part of Sedgwick County and eastern Logan County. Most severe losses resulted from a fine, driving hail which struck just as harvest was beginning. Loss of acreage was considerable in Boulder, Larimer, and western Weld Counties where wheat got off to a very poor start in the fall of 1952 because of moisture shortage. Even some of the irrigated fields in this area had to be abandoned because of poor stands, poor start and inability to supply water when needed.

Spring wheat production totalled 1,820,000 bushels compared with the 1952 crop of 1,462,000 bushels. Approximately two-fifths of the spring seeded wheat was produced on irrigated land.

Potatoes—Potato production totalling 18,090,000 bushels in 1953 was 6 percent smaller than the 1952 crop of 19,250,000 bushels but larger than the average production of 17,598,000 bushels.

The crop was planted late and was behind usual early season development over most of the State, especially the early crop in northern Colorado and the acreage in the San Luis Valley. Although the crop got off to a slow start, growing conditions were generally favorable throughout July and most of August. Early September frost in the San Luis Valley hastened maturity and caused an undue percentage of small potatoes to be harvested. As a result, total shipments from the Valley were smaller than the total available supply indicated due to the large proportion of these small "seed" potatoes.

The estimated 54,000 acres harvested in 1953 represented an 8 percent increase over the 50,000 acres harvested one year earlier. However, the yield for the State averaged 335 bushels, considerably below the record 1952 yield of 385 bushels. Yields were below those obtained in 1952 in all principal producing areas. The northern Colorado early crop was much smaller in 1953 than in 1952, but this was partially offset by a larger late crop. Nearly all of the net acreage increase in 1953 occurred in the San Luis Valley. A considerable increase in acreage was reported in the lower western valleys of the State, but even so, the acreage here was of minor importance in the State's total.

Sugar Beets—The total beet crop for 1953, estimated at 1,955,000 tons compared favorably with the crop of 1,941,000 tons produced in 1952 and the 10-year average of 1,887,000 tons. The fall season was extremely favorable for developing added tonnage and for harvest operations. Harvest of the beet crop was unusually rapid during the fall of 1953. The above average tonnage harvested during 1953 came from an estimated 115,700 acres with an average yield of 16.9 tons. This compared with a harvest of 112,900 acres in 1952 with a record yield of 17.2 tons per acre.

Dry Beans—The 1953 crop of dry beans totalled 2,274,000 bags (100 pound—field run beans). This production, mostly pintos, exceeded both the 1,820,000 bags harvested in 1952 and the 10-year average output of 2,006,000 bags. (The Colorado crop of 2,160,000 bags (cleaned basis) of pintos in 1953 was nearly one-half of the U. S. record high total of 4,793,000 bags.)

The acreage devoted to the bean crop in 1953 was increased significantly over the previous year. Both the northern Colorado irrigated and the southwestern non-irrigated areas reported large increases with only the east-central non-irrigated area recording a slight reduction. As was the case in 1952, a larger than normal proportion of the 1953 bean crop was harvested in northern Colorado. Only minor adverse influences affected the crop in this area. Prospects

for production on non-irrigated land were doubtful in early August but timely rains in the southwest revived the crop and yields were good. The average yield from irrigated land was 1,750 pounds, only 10 pounds under the record high yield obtained in 1952. The current year's harvest was completed under generally favorable conditions and quality was good.

Corn—Production of total corn in 1953 was estimated at 13,233,000 bushels. The 1952 crop was 12,854,000 bushels and average production amounted to 14,568,000 bushels. Production of grain corn at 6,873,000 bushels in 1953 was one-fourth larger than the 1952 total. Above normal temperatures and warm nights which prevailed through much of July and August favored growth and maturity of some of the best quality corn ever produced in the state. Irrigated corn harvested for grain averaged approximately 54.5 bushels per acre, the highest of record. Production of corn silage of 1,200,000 tons in 1953 was considerably less than the 1,406,000 tons of corn ensilage placed in silos during the fall of 1952.

Oats—The 1953 oat crop totalled only 5,192,000 bushels, considerably below the 1952 production of 5,826,000 bushels and the average of 6,070,000 bushels. The smaller production than that of a year earlier stemmed primarily from an 8 percent drop in the harvested acreage, occurring principally in irrigated areas.

Barley—Production of barley in 1953 amounted to 9,804,000 bushels against 8,612,000 in 1952 and 15,768,000 bushels the average. In the eastern non-irrigated areas, the 1953 season proved to be another poor barley year. However, in most irrigated sections, the crop was quite good.

Sorghums—Production of sorghums for grain in 1953 totalled an estimated 1,754,000 bushels, nearly double the short 1952 production of 896,000 bushels. However, growing conditions in the main sorghum producing area were very spotted during the 1953 crop season. The bulk of the crop was planted late but killing frosts held off longer than usual, permitting some of this late sorghum to mature grain. Sorghum forage cut in 1953 totalled 399,000 tons compared with 309,000 tons harvested during the 1952 season.

Hay Crops—The tonnage of all hay cut in 1953 estimated at 2,436,000 tons was the same as harvested in 1952 but about 12 percent above the average of 2,178,000 tons. Alfalfa hay at 1,663,000 tons slightly exceeded the 1952 output of 1,654,000 tons and was the largest crop of this hay harvested during the past twenty-five years. A recent swing to more alfalfa brought the acreage to 723,000 in 1953 compared with 689,000 acres in 1952 and 610,000 acres in 1951. Dehydrating activities in the Arkansas Valley were less extensive in 1953 than in 1952, resulting in more loose and baled hay being available for feeding and sale in other areas. Production of wild hay during 1953 at 437,000 tons was near that of 1952 and the average production. Yields of all hays were generally good in most irrigated areas.

Broomcorn—The second smallest crop of broomcorn since 1939 was produced in 1953. Production in 1953 estimated at 5,400 tons was 50 percent larger than the short 1952 crop of 3,600 tons but materially below the 10-year (1942-51) average production of 12,130 tons.

Although a limited acreage of broomcorn had been planted by the usual date, dry weather and resultant unfavorable soil conditions delayed most seeding operations. Early July rains provided sufficient moisture to germinate the late planted crop with generally fair stands obtained. Moisture reserves provided by these rains, however, were depleted by late August and September with the resulting drought adversely affecting the crop. Fortunately, killing frost held off until much of the late planted corn matured brush.

Colorado, ordinarily a close second to Oklahoma in the production of broomcorn, barely maintained its place in 1953, producing considerably less than half the Oklahoma total and only slightly more than Texas. In the years 1942-51, Colorado produced an average of approximately 30 percent of the national broomcorn supply. In 1953 production amounted to only 17 percent.

Seed Crops—The 1953 crop of alfalfa seed was estimated at 2,070,000 pounds against 2,990,000 pounds in 1952 and 2,100,000 pounds the 10-year average. Sweetclover seed production totalled 1,480,000 pounds in 1953. This compares

with the 1952 harvest of 2,500,000 pounds and 2,224,000 the average. An estimated 10.5 million pounds of sudangrass seed harvested during 1953 was the largest crop of record and compared with 4.2 million pounds harvested in 1952.

Fruit Crops—The commercial apple crop of 840,000 bushels was about one-third smaller than the 1,320,000 bushels harvested in 1952 and the average of 1,373,000 bushels. Although the 1953 crop was relatively light, the size and color of fruit was good. Peaches produced during the 1953 season totalled 1,227,000 bushels against 2,053,000 bushels harvested in 1952 and the average of 1,761,000 bushels. Freezing temperatures and late spring frosts thinned the set of fruit and curtailed production. However, a high percentage of the crop moved into marketing channels as the marketing agreement permitted smaller sizes to be shipped in 1953 while the lighter set on the trees permitted the fruit to attain larger sizes. The crop was small in Delta county. Pear production in 1953 totalled 138,000 bushels, considerably below 1952 and average. The production of sweet cherries in 1953 at 130 tons was far short of the 1,020 tons harvested a year earlier and considerably below average. Sour cherry production was 750 tons against 1,050 tons in 1952 and 3,243 tons the average. Much of the 1953 crop was produced in the western counties, reflecting the decline of the industry in Larimer county and frost injury.

COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES

The 1953 season was not quite as favorable for Colorado vegetables as the 1952 season, but a relatively high level of production was maintained. Total production was 14 percent less than average. Although 22 percent less acreage was harvested, nine crops made record or near-record high yields per acre. Freezing weather continued later into the spring than usual and delayed development of early crops beyond the usual dates of first marketings. Early hail damage around Denver necessitated rather extensive replanting with corresponding loss of early market returns. However, crops made rapid growth from mid-July on through a late fall with excellent weather conditions for maturing and harvesting late crops.

The combined production of all vegetables grown for fresh market and for processing in 1953 totalled 278,400 tons, almost equal to the 279,400 tons in 1952 but 14 percent smaller than the 323,900-ton average of recent years. The decline from average was due to a sharp reduction in the area harvested—only 41,200 acres in 1953 compared with the average of 52,750 acres. The aggregate farm value of all commercial vegetables produced in 1953 amounted to \$12,987,000—23 percent below the 1952 value of \$16,858,000 but near the \$13,311,000 average. The significant decline from 1952 was caused by the severe drop in onion prices. Removing onions from the totals for the two years, the remaining crops carry a slightly higher value in 1953 than a year earlier.

Onions retained top position in 1953 as the most important vegetable crop in regard to acres harvested and volume of production, but gave way to cabbage as the greatest value crop. Cabbage prospects were very poor through the early stage of the growing season but the crop made excellent progress in August and September and overcame most of its backwardness. The disappointing feature of the 1953 onion deal was the distressingly low price. As a result of a National over-supply, prices received by Colorado growers were the lowest in recent years—in sharp contrast to the record high price per sack received for the 1952 crop. Cabbage led all vegetables in 1953 farm value with a total worth of \$2,103,000. The season of 1953 was favorable for cabbage with yield per acre and price per ton near record high levels. The farm value of the late crop was the highest of record and the early deal was not far from the record. Lettuce was also in the top bracket as a money crop. Both the acreage and yield per acre were below average but the highest per crate price ever obtained elevated the farm value to \$1,628,000, the second highest ever recorded. Prices were highest during the period of heaviest marketings—an unusual occurrence. Despite a late start, the tomato season became one of the best in several years, due to favorable late summer and fall weather. The acreage was sharply below average, but record high yields and good prices boosted the aggregate value of tomatoes sold for fresh market to more than \$800,000.

WHY CROP AND LIVESTOCK REPORTS

A man's judgment is no better than his facts and crop reports are the basic facts of Agriculture.

They aid farmers in planning their production and marketing.

They are essential in enacting wise legislation affecting Agriculture.

They are the basis for analysis of agricultural and other business conditions.

They enable railroads to make a better distribution of cars for moving farm products.

They give producers the same foresight to future price trends that organized dealers possess.

They are a check on fluctuation in price. Uncertainty of supply promotes undue fluctuation in price.

They are indispensable in times of war because food is as essential as ammunition and weapons of war.

They are the best basis for adjusting supply to demand which is highly essential if maximum price is to prevail.

They aid farm organizations, schools and others in planning constructive programs, and the prospective purchaser of land.

They give information on surplus and deficit areas of production making possible a more economical distribution of products.

They eliminate the ill effects of misleading reports that might be circulated for private gain, if there were no official reports.

They are a guide to farm resources and for developing new resources such as irrigation, electric power, location of food processing and other factories.

They reduce the amount of speculation in farm products. Speculation thrives on uncertainty. Unbiased official crop reports reduce uncertainty which limits speculation.

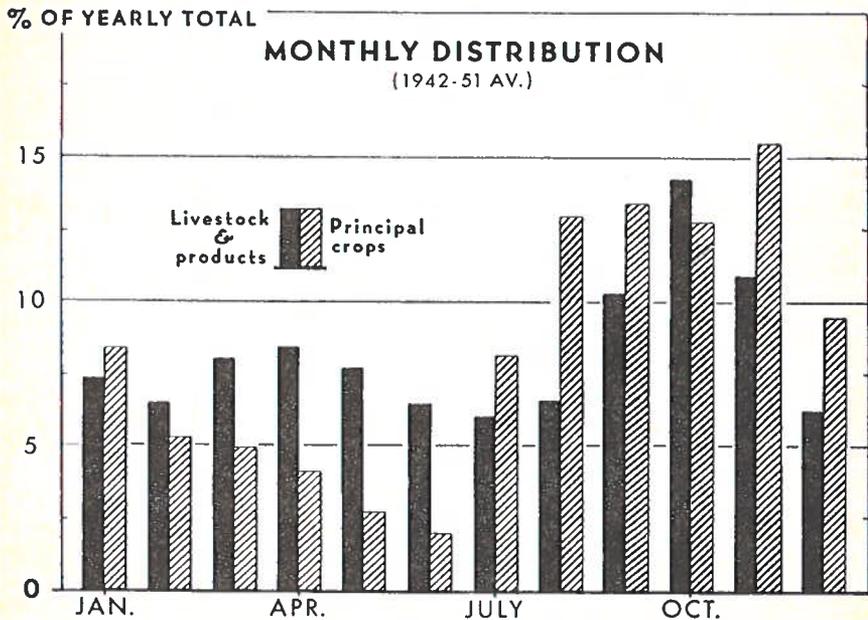
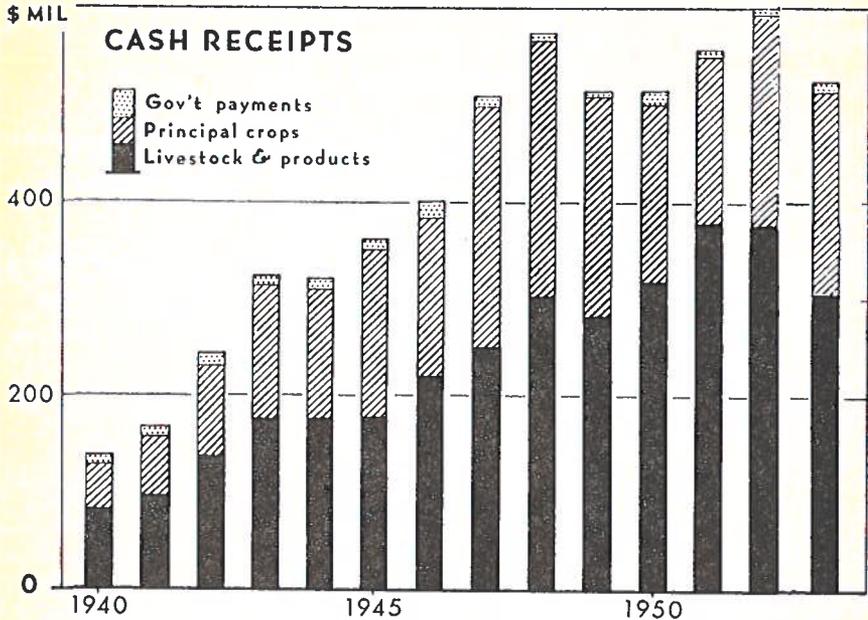
They indicate potential buying power thereby enabling the manufacturer to meet the probable demand. With economical production and distribution, the manufacturer can sell at a lower price than he could with uncertain demand.

They reduce the risk of ownership of buyers of farm products which enables them to do business on a smaller margin. Under the stimulus of competition, they pay producers higher prices than could be paid if uncertainty of production existed.

They provide an accurate, unbiased picture of Colorado's agriculture. The facts on present and prospective supplies furnish a sound basis for judgment and action by farmers, other individuals, business men, railroads, crop and livestock interests and governmental agencies.

CASH FARM INCOME, COLORADO

Receipts from Farm and Ranch Marketings, by Years and Monthly Distribution



CASH FARM INCOME, GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS, AND VALUE OF PRODUCTS CONSUMED ON FARMS WHERE PRODUCED (THOUSAND DOLLARS)

COLORADO—1945-1953

Year	Cash Income from Farm Marketings			Government Payments ¹	Cash Farm Income and Government Payments ²	Value of Products Consumed on Farms Where Produced ³	Cash Income, Government Payments and Value of Products Consumed on Farms Where Produced
	Crops	Livestock and Livestock Products	Total				
In Thousands of Dollars (000 Omitted)							
1945	161,223	180,729	341,952	13,953	355,905	14,566	370,471
1946	163,449	223,310	386,759	17,042	403,801	16,679	420,480
1947	249,018	253,318	502,336	11,321	513,657	19,607	533,264
1948	262,161	306,093	568,254	9,456	577,710	19,692	597,402
1949	230,115	281,492	511,607	3,472	515,079	16,835	531,914
1950	184,020	319,421	503,441	11,856	515,297	12,916	528,213
1951	185,097	386,660	571,757	8,659	580,416	15,332	595,748
1952	223,162	376,764	599,926	7,740	607,666	13,912	621,578
1953 ⁴	199,371	323,886	523,257	10,344	533,601	-----	-----

UNITED STATES—1945-1953

In Thousands of Dollars (000 Omitted)							
1945	9,538,335	11,979,117	21,517,452	768,888	22,286,340	2,257,297	24,543,637
1946	11,165,005	13,698,960	24,863,965	771,680	25,635,645	2,624,460	28,260,105
1947	13,504,453	16,509,485	30,013,938	313,813	30,327,751	3,095,035	33,422,786
1948	13,469,696	17,074,261	30,543,957	256,505	30,800,462	2,935,826	33,736,288
1949	12,585,683	15,425,967	28,011,650	185,453	28,197,103	2,509,984	30,707,087
1950	12,352,224	15,975,585	28,327,809	283,458	28,611,267	2,006,797	30,618,064
1951	13,187,365	19,611,404	32,798,769	285,565	33,084,334	2,242,950	35,327,284
1952	14,019,317	18,354,094	32,373,411	274,530	32,647,941	2,144,063	34,792,004
1953 ⁴	13,796,582	17,178,338	30,974,920	213,089	31,188,009	-----	-----

¹ Includes rental and benefit, soil conservation, agricultural adjustment program, price parity and Sugar Act payments.

² Total of columns 3 and 4.

³ Includes value of products consumed by farm laborers and their families as well as in the operator's own household.

⁴ Preliminary.

CASH FARM INCOME FROM SALES, BY CROPS AND BY GROUPS OF LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS, CALENDAR YEARS 1945-1952 (UNREVISED 1945-49)

Year	Corn	All Wheat	Rye	Oats	Barley	Hay	Potatoes	Beans	Sugar Beets	Fruit Crops
In Thousands of Dollars (000 Omitted)										
1945	5,085	40,607	866	1,188	9,838	7,581	18,136	7,797	20,226	11,128
1946	5,705	48,416	645	930	8,675	11,114	17,513	9,927	19,566	9,140
1947	7,676	96,814	734	1,579	9,269	10,279	21,118	22,062	23,220	10,189
1948	9,333	127,336	318	1,472	6,682	12,097	30,525	22,345	13,262	8,393
1949	5,727	101,209	---	1,460	10,589	13,627	21,627	15,041	19,279	6,945
1950	5,609	72,537	---	1,540	5,899	11,766	18,465	10,896	23,367	6,842
1951	5,568	69,320	---	1,286	3,160	17,171	17,477	9,574	23,756	4,990
1952	5,903	89,301	---	1,494	3,685	18,424	27,831	12,415	23,211	8,270

Year	Cattle and Calves	Hogs	Sheep and Lambs	Wool	Chickens	Eggs	Turkeys	Dairy Products	Commercial Truck Crops
In Thousands of Dollars (000 Omitted)									
1945	91,366	13,563	24,064	5,154	6,409	10,679	5,138	22,452	23,650
1946	126,593	12,771	29,640	4,847	4,549	10,706	6,251	26,242	17,660
1947	149,206	17,514	29,130	4,465	4,215	10,755	4,617	31,159	26,427
1948	195,033	18,689	33,256	4,590	4,756	11,628	4,319	31,996	15,270
1949	180,756	16,543	26,416	4,489	5,193	12,099	4,524	30,015	19,690
1950	214,915	16,791	34,262	6,215	4,259	9,743	4,555	27,605	10,080
1951	259,351	18,989	39,910	13,706	5,524	11,716	5,263	30,393	15,950
1952	264,493	16,075	37,111	5,364	4,413	10,673	4,556	32,206	18,240

**CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS COMPARED WITH VALUE OF MINERALS
AND TOTAL INCOME PAYMENTS TO INDIVIDUALS—1929-1952**

Year	Total Income ¹ Payments (000,000)	Gold ² and Silver (000)	Zinc ² (000)	Copper ² and Lead (000)	Coal ² (000)	Crude ² Petroleum (000)	Total ² Mineral Products (000) ³	Receipts From Farm Marketings (000)
1929	\$ 633	\$ 6,761	\$ 3,885	\$ 4,647	\$26,254	\$ 2,380	\$ 55,332	\$201,116
1930	580	6,205	3,481	3,580	21,485	1,480	46,271	172,715
1931	478	5,460	1,230	1,252	15,944	825	32,970	177,452
1932	362	7,097	7	595	12,237	880	25,800	75,141
1933	358	6,972	108	796	11,350	540	27,259	79,206
1934	404	13,603	66	1,216	12,063	1,060	39,473	92,668
1935	446	15,600	106	1,670	13,675	1,420	44,414	103,428
1936	538	17,403	117	2,300	16,277	1,660	56,215	131,905
1937	584	17,754	552	3,801	18,327	1,800	67,339	147,143
1938	526	17,989	437	3,647	14,828	1,540	60,369	114,015
1939	563	18,607	190	3,522	14,621	1,330	64,145	125,222
1940	589	19,762	638	3,894	16,644	1,480	63,188	128,911
1941	695	18,493	2,358	3,026	19,654	2,300	73,961	159,157
1942	990	11,604	5,992	2,301	23,163	2,440	95,279	232,819
1943	1,144	6,709	5,924	2,972	27,512	2,620	88,534	314,630
1944	1,157	5,500	9,110	3,115	29,261	3,530	80,202	310,913
1945	1,274	5,136	8,228	3,333	28,085	5,780	77,236	341,952
1946	1,380	6,801	8,820	4,282	23,915	15,650	77,573	386,759
1947	1,626	8,204	9,376	6,287	28,772	29,680	102,449	502,336
1948	1,732	8,143	12,014	9,999	27,826	45,730	128,861	568,254
1949	1,698	6,212	11,830	9,433	23,735	61,030	141,165	511,607
1950	1,855	7,724	13,000	8,599	19,500	59,420	145,995	503,441
1951	2,158	6,601	20,280	12,051	21,170	70,670	178,680	571,757
1952	2,316	6,907	17,663	11,426	19,202	74,340	183,612	599,926

¹ These data are taken from the August 1952 issue—Survey of Current Business published by the U. S. Dept. of Commerce, under the heading "Total Income Payments to Individuals." Included is a long list of agencies public and private which pay cash to individuals and investors. For complete detail see "Technical Notes" in August 1950 issue of Survey of Current Business.

² Compiled from Minerals Yearbook of the U. S. Bureau of Mines for the years concerned. Reported values were rounded to the nearest thousand dollars for ease of presentation and comparability with other income data.

³ In addition to minerals shown separately this total includes primarily molybdenum, vanadium, tungsten, natural gas together with sand and gravel and a number of other minerals of lesser importance. Individual data on some minerals are not included for security reasons.

NOTE.—For a discussion of the significance of this table, see page 4 of Colorado Agricultural Statistics, 1950.

RECEIPTS FROM THE SALE OF PRINCIPAL FARM PRODUCTS
1943-1953 (Thousand Dollars) (Unrevised 1945-49)

MONTH	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953 ¹
PRINCIPAL CROPS											
Jan. ----	\$ 6,147	\$ 9,095	\$ 9,850	\$ 10,989	\$ 15,763	\$ 30,343	\$ 17,735	\$ 24,904	\$ 20,020	\$ 18,926	\$ 24,007
Feb. ----	6,144	7,634	6,253	7,975	14,352	14,254	12,363	10,613	11,241	11,029	8,087
Mar. ----	5,330	7,321	6,821	4,861	12,466	15,318	11,432	12,040	8,610	9,620	8,456
Apr. ----	3,937	6,395	4,107	3,383	7,646	15,727	8,207	11,508	11,584	6,837	7,788
May ----	3,119	4,139	3,419	3,159	4,967	11,390	12,154	4,083	2,760	5,517	5,769
June ----	2,563	3,480	2,023	4,379	3,983	6,627	10,719	1,951	--316	4,038	5,890
July ----	9,175	6,848	11,638	14,836	21,703	33,383	17,314	12,211	12,210	14,366	11,855
Aug. ----	19,535	18,559	22,661	24,393	35,231	26,245	28,250	21,370	27,266	40,514	25,066
Sept. ----	21,735	16,393	21,281	20,586	35,065	26,352	32,883	23,790	22,016	36,364	31,146
Oct. ----	16,068	25,362	18,647	19,569	30,653	34,030	28,988	16,432	22,447	29,047	27,529
Nov. ----	21,795	20,778	31,946	36,691	39,071	24,589	30,547	24,434	27,233	26,494	24,629
Dec. ----	9,614	7,171	17,656	15,454	28,118	23,952	19,523	20,684	19,976	20,390	19,079
Total --	\$125,171	\$133,178	\$156,332	\$166,227	\$249,018	\$262,161	\$230,115	\$184,020	\$185,097	\$223,162	\$199,371

LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS

Jan. ----	\$ 9,702	\$ 11,546	\$ 12,370	\$ 11,561	\$ 20,908	\$ 22,074	\$ 25,615	\$ 22,336	\$ 33,213	\$ 30,706	\$ 28,516
Feb. ----	10,504	14,658	11,429	15,017	16,427	18,103	17,984	19,980	27,026	29,677	23,485
Mar. ----	15,383	18,091	14,913	16,796	20,302	22,862	24,058	23,244	32,259	32,797	31,170
Apr. ----	15,115	17,247	15,936	20,082	19,009	24,259	23,795	23,725	34,247	34,083	27,934
May ----	15,204	17,314	13,829	10,661	16,248	24,589	20,797	27,840	32,327	30,409	26,004
June ----	13,261	10,952	11,264	8,508	15,236	23,169	17,382	24,541	24,596	25,543	24,942
July ----	10,328	9,805	9,737	14,151	14,280	19,032	15,677	23,727	26,078	24,587	20,732
Aug. ----	11,405	12,537	10,270	15,304	13,775	20,506	20,685	23,416	23,245	25,516	22,068
Sept. ----	19,711	20,275	14,231	18,903	26,069	34,476	29,550	36,206	36,983	33,503	25,138
Oct. ----	23,667	13,306	28,654	41,808	42,463	41,688	39,992	40,803	57,110	41,330	32,860
Nov. ----	22,477	18,847	22,158	33,303	28,263	33,815	26,168	31,168	35,296	35,073	32,740
Dec. ----	14,213	13,157	12,519	19,098	20,338	21,520	19,789	22,345	24,280	20,540	28,297
Total --	\$180,970	\$177,735	\$177,390	\$225,192	\$253,318	\$306,093	\$281,492	\$319,421	\$386,660	\$376,764	\$323,886

CROPS, LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS

Jan. ----	\$ 15,840	\$ 20,641	\$ 22,200	\$ 22,550	\$ 36,671	\$ 52,417	\$ 43,350	\$ 47,240	\$ 53,233	\$ 49,632	\$ 52,523
Feb. ----	16,648	22,292	17,682	22,992	30,779	32,357	30,347	30,593	38,267	40,706	31,572
Mar. ----	20,722	25,415	21,764	21,657	32,768	38,180	35,490	35,284	40,869	42,417	39,626
Apr. ----	19,052	23,642	20,043	23,471	26,655	39,986	32,002	35,233	45,831	40,940	35,722
May ----	18,323	21,453	17,248	13,820	21,215	35,979	32,951	31,923	35,087	35,926	31,773
June ----	15,824	14,432	13,287	12,887	19,219	29,796	28,101	26,492	24,260	29,581	30,832
July ----	19,503	16,653	21,375	28,987	35,983	52,365	32,991	35,938	38,288	38,953	32,587
Aug. ----	30,940	31,096	32,931	39,643	49,006	46,751	48,935	44,786	50,511	67,030	47,134
Sept. ----	41,446	36,668	35,562	39,489	61,134	60,823	62,433	60,086	68,999	69,867	56,284
Oct. ----	39,735	38,668	47,351	61,377	73,116	75,718	68,980	57,235	79,607	73,377	60,389
Nov. ----	44,272	39,625	54,104	69,994	67,334	58,405	56,715	55,602	62,529	61,567	57,439
Dec. ----	23,827	20,328	30,175	34,552	48,456	45,472	39,312	43,029	44,256	49,930	47,376
Total --	\$306,141	\$310,913	\$333,722	\$391,419	\$502,336	\$568,254	\$511,607	\$503,441	\$571,757	\$599,926	\$523,257

PERCENT OF YEARLY RECEIPTS RECEIVED EACH MONTH (COMPUTED FROM ABOVE TABLES)

Jan. ----	5.2	6.6	6.7	5.8	7.3	9.2	8.5	9.4	9.3	8.3	10.0
Feb. ----	5.4	7.2	5.3	5.9	6.1	5.7	5.9	6.1	6.7	6.8	6.0
Mar. ----	6.8	8.2	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.7	6.9	7.0	7.2	7.1	7.6
Apr. ----	6.2	7.6	6.0	6.0	5.3	7.0	6.3	7.0	8.0	6.8	6.8
May ----	6.0	6.9	5.2	3.5	4.2	6.3	6.4	6.3	6.1	6.0	6.1
June ----	5.2	4.6	4.0	3.3	3.8	5.2	5.5	5.3	4.3	4.9	5.9
July ----	6.4	5.4	6.4	7.4	7.2	6.4	7.1	6.7	6.7	6.5	6.2
Aug. ----	10.1	10.0	9.9	10.1	9.8	9.2	9.6	8.9	8.8	11.2	9.0
Sept. ----	13.5	11.8	10.7	10.1	12.2	10.8	12.2	11.9	10.3	11.6	10.8
Oct. ----	13.0	12.4	14.2	15.7	14.6	13.4	13.5	11.4	13.9	12.2	11.5
Nov. ----	14.4	12.8	16.1	17.9	13.4	10.3	11.1	11.0	10.9	10.3	11.0
Dec. ----	7.8	6.5	9.0	8.8	9.6	8.0	7.7	8.6	7.8	8.3	9.1
Total --	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

¹ Preliminary.

COLORADO CROP ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1952

CROP	Acreage		Production		Unit	Farm Value	
	Planted	Harvested	Per Acre	Total ¹		Per Unit	Total
Corn, All	485,000 ²	451,000	28.5	12,854,000	Bu.	\$ 1.63	\$ 20,952,000
Corn, for Grain		212,000	26.0	5,512,000	Bu.	---	---
Oats, for Grain	263,000 ²	191,000	30.5	5,826,000	Bu.	.93	5,418,000
Barley, for Grain	435,000 ²	325,000	26.5	8,612,000	Bu.	1.34	11,540,000
Winter Wheat	3,749,000	3,111,000	17.5	54,442,000	Bu.	2.05	111,606,000
Spring Wheat	87,000 ²	65,000	22.5	1,462,000	Bu.	2.00	2,924,000
Rye, for Grain	55,000 ²	28,000	8.0	224,000	Bu.	1.59	356,000
Dry Beans	184,000	175,000	1,040 ³	1,820,000	100-lb. Bag	8.20 ⁴	14,325,000 ⁴
Field Peas	15,000	8,000	1,000 ³	80,000	100-lb. Bag	4.50 ⁴	333,000 ⁴
Potatoes	51,000	50,000	385	19,250,000	Bu.	1.71	32,918,000
Sugar Beets	117,800	112,900	17.2	1,941,000	Ton	11.90	23,098,000
All Sorghums, for Grain...		112,000	8.0	896,000	Bu.	1.47	1,317,000
All Sorghums, for Forage...		309,000	1.00	309,000	Ton	25.50	7,880,000
All Sorghums, All Uses...	639,000	429,000	---	---	---	---	---
Alfalfa Hay		689,000	2.40	1,654,000	Ton	---	---
All Hay		1,396,000	1.74	2,436,000	Ton	30.20 ⁵	73,567,000
Broomcorn	91,000	58,000	125 ³	3,600	Ton	365.00	1,314,000
Alfalfa Seed		26,000	115 ³	29,900	100 Lbs.	30.10	900,000
Sweet Clover Seed		10,000	250 ³	25,000	100 Lbs.	8.70	218,000
Apples, Commercial Crop...				1,320,000	Bu.	2.05	2,706,000
Peaches				2,053,000	Bu.	2.30	4,014,000
Pears				208,000	Bu.	2.25	468,000
Cherries, Sour				1,050	Ton	140.00	147,000
Cherries, Sweet				1,020	Ton	220.00	224,000
Commercial Truck Crops							
Beans, Snap, for Mfg.		1,400	3.6	5,000	Ton	90.50	452,000
Beans, Snap, for Market...		850	150	128,000	Bu.	2.65	339,000
Cabbage, Early (Domestic) ..		1,560	11.1	17,300	Ton	45.90	794,000
Cabbage, Late (Danish)		2,800	14.0	39,200	Ton	32.00	1,254,000
Cantaloup		1,800	120	216,000	J. Crate	1.90	410,000
Carrots		1,600	270	432,000	Bu.	1.40	605,000
Cauliflower		1,600	350	560,000	Crate	1.10	616,000
Celery		1,100	500	550,000	½ Crate	2.10	1,155,000
Cucumbers, for Pickles....		3,400	240	816,000	Bu.	1.30	1,061,000
Lettuce		5,000	120	600,000	Crate	1.70	1,020,000
Onions		5,500	525	2,888,000	50-lb. Sack	2.10	6,065,000
Peas, Green, for Mfg.		3,200	1,970 ³	3,150	Ton	84.20	265,000
Peas, Green, for Market...		2,000	90	180,000	Bu.	1.75	315,000
Spinach		700	180	126,000	Bu.	1.10	139,000
Tomatoes, for Mfg.		2,600	9.8	25,500	Ton	25.60	653,000
Tomatoes, for Market		1,600	300	480,000	Bu.	2.30	1,104,000
Total Truck Crops		41,300 ⁶					\$16,858,000 ⁶
Total All Principal Crops		6,477,200 ⁶					\$333,083,000 ⁶

¹Includes quantities of some crops not marketed and excluded in computing values.²Planted for all uses.³Pounds.⁴Price and value apply to cleaned production.⁵Price of hay sold baled.⁶Some minor crops included in totals are not listed individually.

COLORADO CROP ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1953

CROP	Acreage		Production		Unit	Farm Value	
	Planted	Harvested	Per Acre	Total ¹		Per Unit	Total
Corn, All	422,000 ²	401,000	33.0	13,233,000	Bu.	\$ 1.60	\$ 21,173,000
Corn, for Grain		237,000	29.0	6,873,000	Bu.	---	---
Oats, for Grain	226,000 ²	176,000	29.5	5,192,000	Bu.	.81	4,206,000
Barley, for Grain	457,000 ²	344,000	28.5	9,804,000	Bu.	1.10	10,784,000
Winter Wheat	3,749,000	2,613,000	15.5	40,502,000	Bu.	2.00	81,004,000
Spring Wheat	101,000 ²	91,000	20.0	1,820,000	Bu.	1.95	3,549,000
Rye, for Grain	58,000 ²	29,000	8.0	232,000	Bu.	1.15	267,000
Dry Beans	234,000	224,000	1,015 ³	2,274,000	100-lb. Bag	7.90 ⁴	17,064,000 ¹
Field Peas	12,000	6,000	1,100 ³	66,000	100-lb. Bag	3.25 ⁴	198,000 ¹
Potatoes	55,000	54,000	335	18,090,000	Bu.	.85	15,376,000
Sugar Beets	121,400	115,700	16.9	1,955,000	Ton	(⁵)	(⁵)
All Sorghums, for Grain		167,000	10.5	1,754,000	Bu.	1.20	2,105,000
All Sorghums, for Forage		380,000	1.05	399,000	Ton	14.00	5,586,000
All Sorghums, All Uses	748,000	558,000	--	---	---	---	---
Alfalfa Hay		723,000	2.30	1,663,000	Ton	---	---
All Hay		1,413,000	1.72	2,436,000	Ton	21.00 ⁶	51,156,000
Broomcorn	73,000	58,000	185 ³	5,400	Ton	315.00	1,701,000
Alfalfa Seed		18,000	115 ³	20,700	100 Lbs.	20.00	414,000
Sweet Clover Seed		8,000	185 ³	14,800	100 Lbs.	8.20	121,000
Apples, Commercial Crop		---	--	840,000	Bu.	2.70	2,268,000
Peaches		---	--	1,227,000	Bu.	2.70	3,170,000
Pears		---	--	138,000	Bu.	2.60	359,000
Cherries, Sour		---	--	750	Ton	195.00	146,000
Cherries, Sweet		---	--	130	Ton	400.00	52,000
Commercial Truck Crops							
Beans, Snap, for Mfg.		1,500	3.6	5,400	Ton	95.70	517,000
Beans, Snap, for Market		750	150	112,000	Bu.	2.60	291,000
Cabbage, Early (Domestic)		1,500	12.0	18,000	Ton	33.60	605,000
Cabbage, Late (Danish)		3,000	13.5	40,500	Ton	37.00	1,498,000
Cantaloup		1,700	120	204,000	J. Crate	2.15	439,000
Carrots		1,800	250	450,000	Bu.	1.50	675,000
Cauliflower		1,500	350	525,000	Crate	.80	420,000
Celery		1,000	475	475,000	1/2 Crate	2.20	1,045,000
Cucumbers, for Pickles		2,950	234	690,000	Bu.	1.35	932,000
Lettuce		4,600	120	552,000	Crate	2.95	1,628,000
Onions		5,900	500	2,950,000	50-lb. Sack	.70	2,065,000
Peas, Green, for Mfg.		3,500	1,470 ³	2,570	Ton	86.40	222,000
Peas, Green, for Market		1,800	85	153,000	Bu.	1.95	298,000
Spinach		800	200	160,000	Bu.	1.10	176,000
Tomatoes, for Mfg.		2,600	10.2	26,500	Ton	26.70	708,000
Tomatoes, for Market		1,600	300	480,000	Bu.	1.70	816,000
Total Truck Crops		41,200 ⁷					\$12,987,000 ¹
Total All Principal Crops		6,149,900 ⁷					\$233,686,000 ¹

¹Includes quantities of some crops not marketed and excluded in computing values.

²Planted for all uses.

³Pounds.

⁴Price and value apply to cleaned production.

⁵Not available.

⁶Price of hay sold baled.

⁷Some minor crops included in totals are not listed individually.

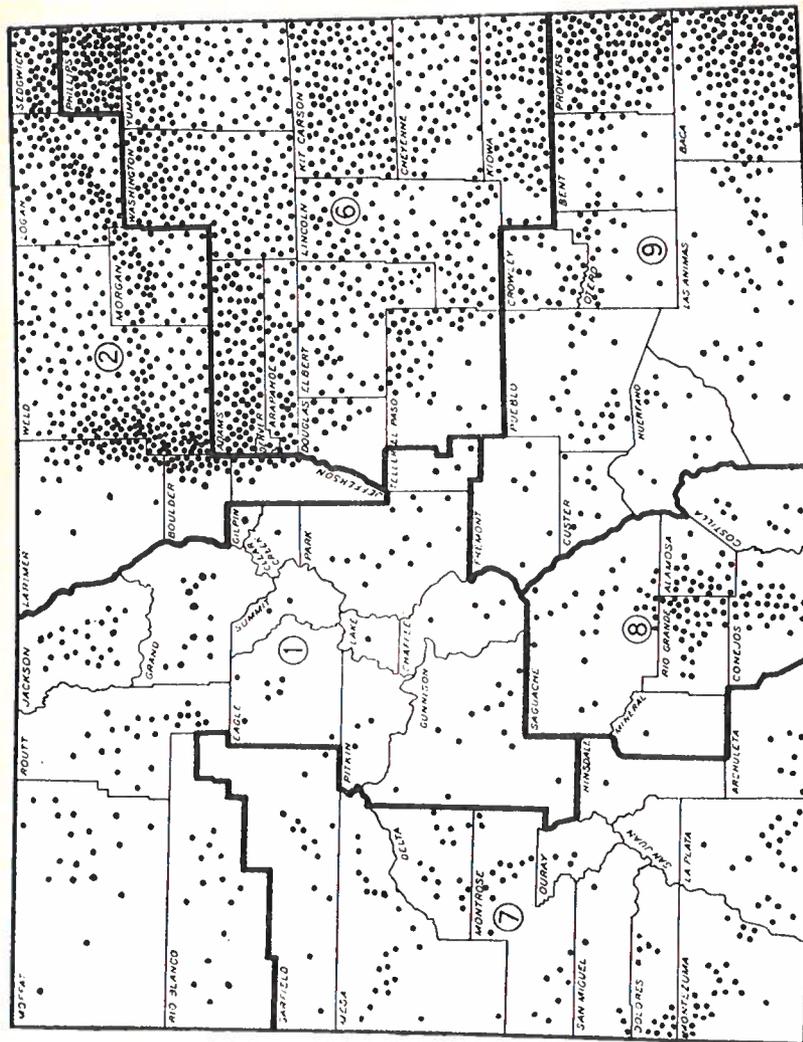
LAND AREA, FARM AND RANCH NUMBERS, ACREAGE AND VALUE
FEDERAL CENSUS, APRIL 1, 1950

COUNTY	All Farms and Ranches Number	Approximate Land Area (000) Acres	All Land in Farms and Ranches Acres	Percent in Farms and Ranches	Average Size of Farms and Ranches Acres	Average Value of Land and Buildings	
						Per Farm Dollars	Per Acre Dollars
Chaffee -----	207	665	139,795	21.0	675	16,557	28.90
Clear Creek ----	26	252	17,241	6.8	663	39,875	31.68
Eagle -----	235	1,078	242,594	22.5	1,032	32,075	35.62
Gilpin -----	24	95	11,940	12.5	498	8,583	39.65
Grand -----	187	1,187	334,894	28.2	1,791	40,322	26.34
Gunnison -----	207	2,072	274,091	13.2	1,324	53,879	44.57
Jackson -----	139	1,039	412,642	39.7	2,969	55,580	21.63
Lake -----	19	243	15,058	6.2	792	3,500	9.21
Moffat -----	340	3,043	1,269,366	41.7	3,733	37,788	10.39
Park -----	190	1,386	594,057	42.9	3,127	37,643	11.60
Pitkin -----	97	623	52,588	8.4	542	39,573	69.29
Rio Blanco -----	243	2,088	642,963	30.8	2,646	37,915	15.21
Routt -----	532	1,491	493,590	33.1	928	25,160	30.23
Summit -----	42	392	38,153	9.7	908	46,029	48.23
Teller -----	117	355	132,908	37.5	1,136	24,906	20.08
Total N. W. District	2,605	16,009	4,671,880	29.2	1,793	----	----
Boulder -----	1,320	482	265,619	55.1	201	21,364	136.52
Jefferson -----	1,528	503	294,920	58.6	193	24,204	120.60
Larimer -----	1,741	1,673	748,589	44.7	430	25,583	56.50
Logan -----	1,482	1,169	1,098,768	94.0	741	39,147	37.73
Morgan -----	1,361	820	746,442	91.0	548	24,793	43.54
Sedgwick -----	474	348	313,196	90.0	661	39,584	55.93
Weld -----	4,418	2,563	2,180,463	85.1	494	27,070	59.30
Total N. Central & N. E. District	12,324	7,558	5,647,997	74.7	458	----	----
Adams -----	1,589	797	687,048	86.2	432	27,033	47.70
Arapahoe -----	910	525	538,672	102.6	592	27,342	49.73
Cheyenne -----	402	1,134	845,867	74.6	2,104	56,817	23.99
Denver -----	157	42	1,077	2.5	7	18,183	6,061.11
Douglas -----	410	540	356,949	66.2	871	22,195	32.04
Elbert -----	811	1,193	1,088,800	91.3	1,342	29,952	21.74
El Paso -----	1,187	1,381	1,239,132	89.7	1,044	21,079	22.85
Kiowa -----	493	1,147	814,843	71.0	1,653	45,013	25.83
Kit Carson -----	1,067	1,389	1,253,327	90.2	1,175	36,619	31.88
Lincoln -----	723	1,660	1,647,818	93.3	2,141	39,801	18.91
Phillips -----	593	435	485,035	111.5	818	41,658	53.22
Washington -----	1,263	1,616	1,402,362	86.8	1,110	27,439	24.58
Yuma -----	1,436	1,525	1,449,140	95.0	1,009	28,316	29.16
Total East Central District	11,041	13,384	11,709,970	87.5	1,061	----	----
Archuleta -----	240	873	219,655	25.2	915	22,684	20.13
Delta -----	1,657	740	335,421	45.3	202	12,418	60.98
Dolores -----	246	658	146,422	22.3	595	22,325	39.69
Garfield -----	787	1,916	459,429	24.0	584	22,066	38.58
Hinsdale -----	27	676	35,138	5.2	1,301	19,742	20.16
La Plata -----	902	1,078	933,277	86.5	1,035	14,863	34.60
Mesa -----	2,525	2,120	546,078	25.8	216	13,221	69.49
Montezuma -----	978	1,341	604,511	45.1	618	29,375	47.52
Montrose -----	1,402	1,433	606,810	42.3	433	15,913	37.37
Ouray -----	131	346	141,568	41.0	1,081	29,224	27.50
San Juan -----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
San Miguel -----	125	821	154,405	18.8	1,235	26,183	22.67
Total West Central & S. W. District	9,020	12,002	4,182,714	34.9	464	----	----
Alamosa -----	450	461	337,993	73.3	751	21,039	26.48
Conejos -----	872	813	439,069	54.0	504	24,337	51.54
Costilla -----	468	778	558,782	71.9	1,194	21,606	17.87
Mineral -----	9	589	18,150	3.1	2,017	---	---
Rio Grande -----	593	586	240,782	41.1	406	40,993	106.77
Saguache -----	335	2,012	509,090	25.3	1,520	41,113	25.81
Total South Central District	2,727	5,239	2,103,866	40.2	772	----	----
Baca -----	999	1,642	1,295,340	78.9	1,297	39,645	30.83
Bent -----	638	971	889,278	91.6	1,394	27,392	22.18
Crowley -----	490	514	420,673	81.9	858	21,009	22.76
Custer -----	222	472	252,293	53.5	1,136	28,294	24.04
Fremont -----	846	1,000	467,965	46.8	553	14,146	27.59
Huerfano -----	459	1,010	763,051	75.6	1,662	19,639	11.86
Las Animas -----	926	3,068	2,621,031	85.4	2,830	28,693	10.43
Otero -----	1,030	811	757,593	93.4	736	21,610	27.50
Prowers -----	1,126	1,041	999,702	96.1	888	36,392	40.62
Pueblo -----	1,125	1,537	1,169,386	76.1	1,040	21,300	23.00
Total S. E. District	7,861	12,066	9,636,312	79.9	1,226	----	----
State Total	45,578	66,258	37,952,739	57.3	833	26,164	32.54

LAND IN FARMS AND RANCHES ACCORDING TO USE—FEDERAL CENSUS, APRIL 1, 1950
(Acres of Crop Land According to Use in 1949)

COUNTY	Crop Land Harvested		Crop Land in Cultivated Summer Fallow		Crop Land Used for Pasture Only		Other Crop Land (Failure, Idle, etc.)	Indicated Total Crop Land
	Farms Reporting	Acres	Farms Reporting	Acres	Farms Reporting	Acres		
							Acres	Acres
Chaffee -----	183	12,633	16	670	86	4,863	1,992	20,158
Clear Creek -----	11	415	1	15	1	618	12	1,060
Eagle -----	217	23,586	15	523	93	7,832	600	32,541
Gilpin -----	19	897	3	170	11	2,167	---	3,234
Grand -----	181	41,137	17	1,367	60	18,729	2,912	64,145
Gunnison -----	190	43,809	6	974	88	16,769	1,817	63,369
Jackson -----	127	95,459	3	426	33	11,790	1,135	108,810
Lake -----	15	2,735	---	---	7	925	---	3,660
Moffat -----	316	60,653	140	17,227	47	13,619	2,973	94,472
Park -----	161	47,509	8	659	39	14,862	5,123	67,653
Pitkin -----	89	9,431	3	15	44	4,250	181	13,877
Rio Blanco -----	211	38,356	41	2,876	76	31,191	836	73,259
Routt -----	502	84,568	177	13,755	112	10,737	3,524	112,584
Summit -----	40	7,238	1	100	8	1,819	---	9,157
Teller -----	92	5,939	11	557	15	594	1,520	8,610
Total Northwest District -----	2,354	474,365	442	39,334	720	140,265	22,625	676,589
Boulder -----	1,021	87,295	270	15,527	292	6,241	2,152	111,215
Jefferson -----	1,111	44,002	168	10,294	361	7,780	4,245	66,321
Larimer -----	1,454	145,869	390	32,758	447	12,698	5,069	196,394
Logan -----	1,342	320,945	790	142,698	250	13,408	24,552	501,593
Morgan -----	1,273	213,810	294	49,128	275	16,011	18,806	297,755
Sedgwick -----	436	113,154	302	66,378	89	5,989	11,487	197,008
Weld -----	4,173	679,853	1,366	226,270	838	44,373	44,228	994,724
Total North Central and N. E. District.....	10,840	1,604,928	3,580	543,053	2,552	106,500	110,539	2,365,010
Adams -----	1,379	252,323	572	161,889	243	10,820	16,850	442,382
Arapahoe -----	698	114,615	297	65,493	154	17,304	13,755	211,167
Cheyenne -----	371	176,474	235	105,208	21	11,105	18,308	311,095
Denver -----	68	547	---	---	3	98	21	666
Douglas -----	345	42,371	142	11,631	77	7,821	2,685	64,508
Elbert -----	770	154,209	497	60,476	102	9,763	14,302	238,750
El Paso -----	919	145,471	191	14,201	217	75,642	17,937	253,251
Kiowa -----	417	223,482	271	142,240	77	30,031	27,795	423,548
Kit Carson -----	1,020	355,500	876	251,592	117	15,423	28,356	650,871
Lincoln -----	640	219,114	443	159,036	76	17,130	24,835	420,115
Phillips -----	561	208,654	487	119,314	197	32,087	13,352	373,407
Washington -----	1,186	397,856	845	214,026	166	26,889	49,157	687,928
Yuma -----	1,346	353,607	755	162,506	195	11,107	45,974	578,254
Total East Central District -----	9,720	2,649,783	5,611	1,467,612	1,645	265,220	273,327	4,655,942
Archuleta -----	221	18,074	19	581	79	14,385	833	33,923
Delta -----	1,541	55,662	85	965	611	14,464	5,085	76,176
Dolores -----	236	61,442	54	5,550	52	1,664	1,945	70,601
Garfield -----	727	51,937	62	2,011	336	13,943	2,581	70,472
Hinsdale -----	24	3,220	1	19	7	1,695	---	4,934
La Plata -----	821	63,261	155	7,102	356	28,731	5,918	105,012
Mesa -----	2,359	78,954	132	1,860	784	23,369	7,923	112,106
Montezuma -----	908	90,485	81	3,052	259	14,204	6,818	114,559
Montrose -----	1,235	70,248	108	1,675	574	18,657	3,210	93,790
Ouray -----	121	12,218	9	413	46	1,562	216	14,409
San Juan -----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
San Miguel -----	117	15,020	33	1,444	42	5,459	594	22,517
Total West Central and S. W. District.....	8,310	520,521	739	24,672	3,146	138,133	35,173	718,499
Alamosa -----	393	67,127	37	1,454	222	22,549	6,877	98,007
Conejos -----	806	103,260	111	4,301	344	22,128	6,100	135,789
Costilla -----	439	31,494	43	2,501	111	5,699	6,830	46,524
Mineral -----	9	1,635	---	---	---	---	---	1,635
Rio Grande -----	556	89,805	35	1,336	360	44,907	5,771	141,819
Saguache -----	296	94,194	17	800	163	34,230	5,813	135,037
Total South Central District -----	2,499	387,515	243	10,392	1,200	129,513	31,391	558,811
Baca -----	951	470,216	664	245,634	158	20,335	31,009	767,194
Bent -----	564	100,336	122	21,497	169	10,022	8,647	140,502
Crowley -----	428	58,600	64	20,584	108	6,910	11,253	97,347
Custer -----	196	25,594	11	616	68	5,682	892	32,784
Fremont -----	748	20,948	36	1,614	149	5,721	2,152	30,335
Huerfano -----	382	30,983	56	5,470	101	12,436	5,744	54,633
Las Animas -----	717	82,442	116	14,350	181	91,882	10,132	195,806
Otero -----	871	69,404	61	1,682	231	15,508	4,557	89,151
Prowers -----	1,036	306,915	420	161,167	235	15,009	25,601	508,692
Pueblo -----	882	90,804	162	20,945	167	8,954	13,014	133,717
Total Southeast District -----	6,775	1,256,242	1,712	493,459	1,567	190,459	113,001	2,053,161
State Total -----	40,498	6,893,354	12,327	2,578,522	10,830	970,090	586,056	11,028,012

TOTAL CROP LAND (1950 FEDERAL CENSUS — ACRES HARVESTED, FAILURE, IDLE AND FALLOW IN 1949)



Each dot represents 5,000 acres

NUMBER, ACREAGE AND VALUE OF IRRIGATED FARMS—FEDERAL CENSUS, APRIL 1, 1950

COUNTY	Irrigated Farms Number	All Land in Irrigated Farms Acres	Irrigated Farms as Percent of All Farms Percent	Irrigated Land in Farms ¹ Acres	Land Irrigated by Sprinklers Acres	Average Value of Land and Buildings on Irrigated Farms	
						Per Farm Dollars	Per Acre Dollars
Chaffee	184	135,387	88.9	16,734	26	17,559	28.38
Clear Creek	3	470	11.5	100	—	—	—
Eagle	222	232,953	94.5	33,072	—	32,713	36.24
Gilpin	2	774	8.3	150	—	—	—
Grand	172	329,093	92.0	41,833	250	41,529	25.55
Gunnison	195	271,287	94.2	60,202	—	56,454	44.10
Jackson	122	404,517	87.8	142,619	690	55,733	20.87
Lake	16	14,796	81.2	5,374	—	3,500	9.21
Moffat	136	960,635	40.0	18,240	36	75,026	10.22
Park	85	464,288	44.7	44,079	18	52,317	13.11
Pitkin	91	48,620	93.8	12,819	—	33,789	53.72
Rio Blanco	171	530,883	70.4	30,405	1	42,478	15.17
Routt	328	373,458	61.7	41,741	85	35,715	30.11
Summit	41	37,595	97.6	8,813	—	44,788	40.86
Teller	12	35,309	10.3	825	—	26,231	9.59
Total Northwest District	1,780	3,840,065	68.3	457,006	1,106	—	—
Boulder	1,047	195,963	79.3	73,307	24	23,879	152.60
Jefferson	1,001	139,782	65.5	26,767	119	27,292	158.21
Larimer	1,392	612,856	80.0	113,423	210	27,834	63.26
Logan	608	338,649	41.0	74,817	66	27,534	53.43
Morgan	995	352,230	73.1	113,570	335	26,561	70.92
Sedgwick	160	95,180	33.8	19,753	1	26,799	45.61
Weld	3,561	879,062	76.1	367,067	554	28,620	112.39
Total N. Central & N. E. District	8,564	2,613,722	69.5	788,704	1,309	—	—
Adams	939	307,615	59.1	49,677	412	22,437	73.61
Arapahoe	279	154,810	30.7	9,592	180	33,167	61.85
Cheyenne	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Denver	49	406	31.2	293	—	5,000	1,250.00
Douglas	65	93,399	15.9	4,836	158	35,756	31.95
Elbert	17	73,357	2.1	1,211	—	67,878	24.60
El Paso	150	219,405	12.6	14,380	209	44,534	29.24
Kiowa	1	5,660	.2	20	—	144,700	25.75
Kit Carson	8	22,409	.7	1,530	—	133,839	25.73
Lincoln	15	123,073	2.1	1,293	270	126,666	13.31
Phillips	7	32,508	1.2	2,089	—	—	—
Washington	82	121,746	6.5	8,505	578	31,922	35.23
Yuma	33	62,828	2.3	1,586	5	27,453	29.51
Total East Central District	1,645	1,217,306	14.9	95,012	1,812	—	—
Archuleta	154	138,102	64.2	16,683	—	25,565	22.14
Delta	1,616	329,255	97.5	84,577	323	12,492	61.43
Dolores	10	14,513	4.1	884	—	25,582	27.48
Garfield	737	420,585	93.6	64,400	83	20,896	38.66
Hinsdale	24	35,038	88.9	3,992	—	19,742	20.16
La Plata	725	862,825	80.4	64,212	10	15,720	37.88
Mesa	2,448	486,954	97.0	116,197	1,257	13,228	75.15
Montezuma	736	514,281	75.3	53,141	24	33,034	41.13
Montrose	1,330	544,398	94.9	100,646	—	16,129	39.89
Ouray	126	140,239	96.2	16,368	—	30,573	27.43
San Juan	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
San Miguel	70	98,567	56.0	10,544	—	26,745	22.23
Total W. Central & S. W. District	7,976	3,584,757	88.4	531,644	1,697	—	—
Alamosa	401	333,301	89.1	99,332	5	21,609	26.17
Conejos	825	435,192	94.6	143,268	—	24,945	52.00
Costilla	441	556,411	94.2	40,363	—	22,937	17.74
Mineral	3	11,400	33.3	560	—	—	—
Rio Grande	562	232,051	94.8	140,529	223	43,293	107.67
Saguache	305	496,505	91.0	164,541	50	30,768	45.73
Total South Central District	2,537	2,064,860	93.0	588,583	278	—	—
Baca	22	39,102	2.2	1,371	—	40,857	23.11
Bent	454	480,048	71.2	61,652	20	24,098	23.46
Crowley	390	129,296	79.6	41,247	—	16,587	60.74
Custer	130	168,373	58.6	25,285	—	38,733	28.89
Fremont	731	374,368	86.4	18,536	—	14,541	32.12
Huerfano	285	459,316	62.1	19,578	—	22,569	14.52
Las Animas	373	867,047	40.3	26,620	—	31,050	13.23
Otero	873	321,377	84.8	73,612	85	20,874	50.92
Prowers	647	263,826	57.5	94,450	345	30,980	65.48
Pueblo	714	659,737	63.5	49,048	116	24,879	34.51
Total Southeast District	4,619	3,762,490	58.8	411,399	566	—	—
State Total	27,121	17,083,200	59.5	2,872,348¹	6,768	24,538	43.09

¹Includes 320,537 acres of irrigated wild grass pasture.

IRRIGATED LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—FEDERAL CENSUS, APRIL 1, 1950
(Acres of Crop Land According to Use in 1949)

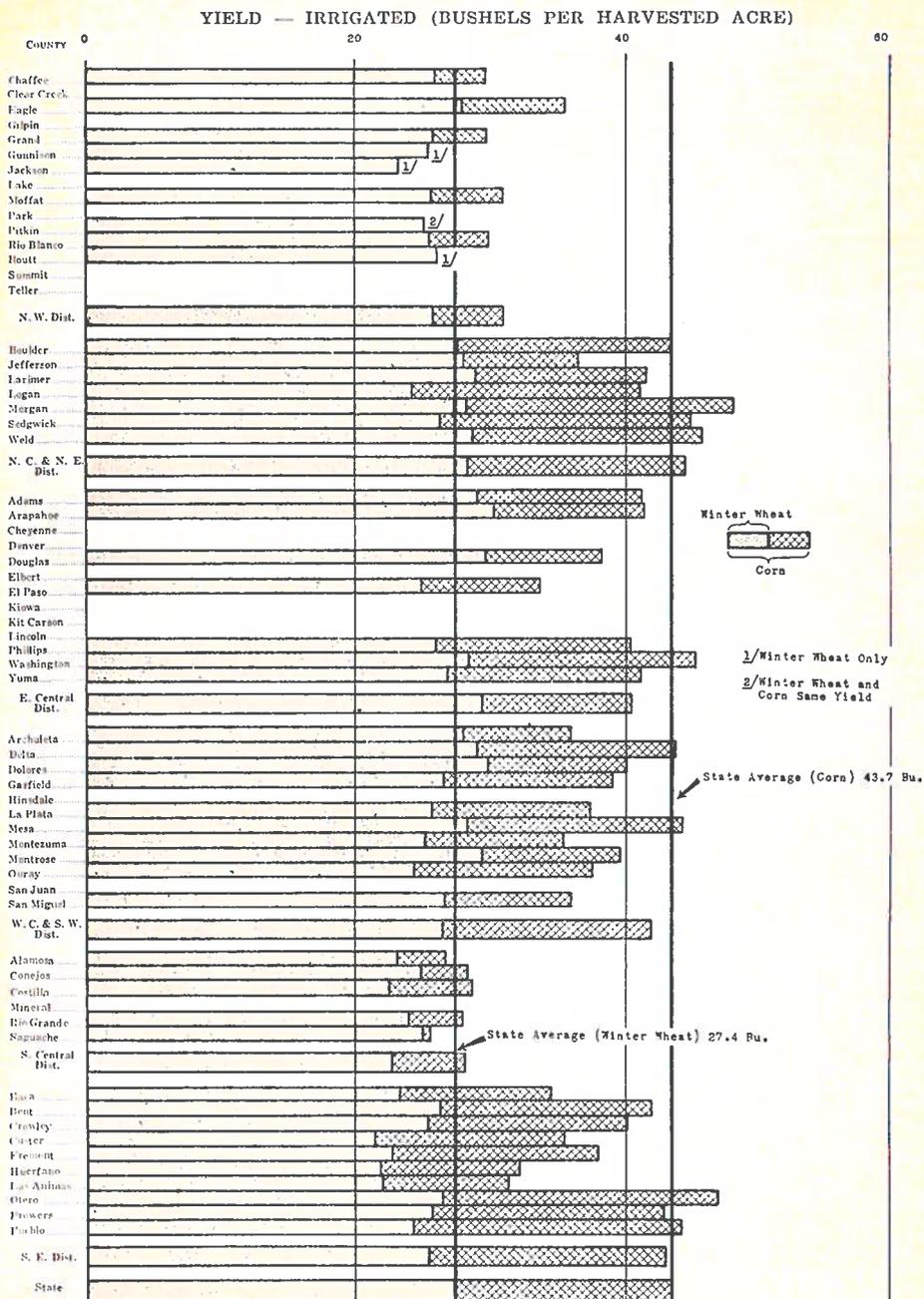
COUNTY	Irrigated Crop Land Harvested		Irrigated Tame Grass Pasture		Irrigated Crop Land Not Harvested and Not Pastured		Indicated Irrigated Crop Land ¹ Acres
	Farms Reporting	Acres	Farms Reporting	Acres	Farms Reporting	Acres	
Chaffee	176	12,125	51	1,764	19	204	14,093
Clear Creek	3	100	--	--	--	--	100
Eagle	214	23,136	100	6,344	12	111	29,591
Gilpin	1	40	--	--	--	--	40
Grand	170	37,459	15	1,050	5	95	38,604
Gunnison	185	42,237	38	6,187	4	293	48,717
Jackson	120	94,371	1	20	1	60	94,451
Lake	15	2,735	1	60	--	--	2,795
Moffat	127	14,762	16	1,229	2	11	16,002
Park	81	40,861	5	206	--	--	41,067
Pitkin	88	9,198	41	1,247	4	23	10,468
Rio Blanco	159	24,312	27	1,639	7	302	26,253
Routt	310	34,157	74	3,096	7	395	37,648
Summit	40	7,028	7	845	--	--	7,873
Teller	11	735	--	--	--	--	735
Total Northwest District	1,700	343,256	376	23,687	61	1,494	368,437
Boulder	903	62,885	303	3,899	149	1,003	67,787
Jefferson	889	21,614	233	2,789	102	769	25,172
Larimer	1,268	99,932	427	5,918	121	1,868	107,718
Logan	597	71,406	52	612	82	1,820	73,838
Morgan	976	108,868	181	2,008	84	2,201	113,077
Sedgwick	158	18,478	13	164	13	935	18,977
Weld	3,321	352,527	461	5,476	265	6,332	364,335
Total N. Central & N. E. District	8,112	735,710	1,670	20,866	816	14,328	770,904
Adams	899	45,902	143	1,828	106	1,448	49,178
Arapahoe	250	7,991	61	770	19	341	9,102
Cheyenne	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Denver	46	283	1	3	2	7	293
Douglas	62	4,397	6	192	1	22	4,611
Elbert	17	760	1	50	2	401	1,211
El Paso	145	11,024	34	1,388	20	400	12,812
Kiowa	1	20	--	--	--	--	20
Kit Carson	8	1,290	1	70	1	170	1,530
Lincoln	12	898	2	265	3	90	1,253
Phillips	7	2,079	1	10	--	--	2,089
Washington	76	7,946	14	218	13	219	8,383
Yuma	30	1,501	2	27	4	38	1,566
Total East Central District	1,553	84,091	266	4,821	171	3,136	92,048
Archuleta	148	11,557	53	2,334	11	229	14,120
Delta	1,540	54,735	849	20,706	155	1,553	76,994
Dolores	9	534	3	80	--	--	614
Garfield	700	48,005	362	10,615	49	177	58,797
Hinsdale	21	2,730	5	585	--	--	3,315
La Plata	672	39,800	316	11,990	47	917	52,707
Mesa	2,331	76,251	1,006	26,332	309	2,236	104,819
Montezuma	672	31,094	323	10,839	82	1,230	43,163
Montrose	1,223	68,742	825	22,535	95	1,368	92,645
Ouray	119	11,715	51	1,907	3	12	13,634
San Juan	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
San Miguel	68	5,581	37	2,586	2	66	8,233
Total W. Central & S. W. District	7,503	350,744	3,830	110,509	753	7,788	469,041
Alamosa	382	64,288	115	6,884	89	10,229	81,401
Concejos	796	100,542	214	12,583	109	3,555	116,680
Costilla	436	30,403	54	4,095	59	1,951	36,440
Mineral	3	560	--	--	--	--	560
Rio Grande	544	87,137	323	23,019	82	3,118	118,274
Saguache	285	92,249	119	10,342	37	1,955	104,546
Total South Central District	2,446	375,179	825	61,923	376	20,808	457,910
Baca	18	962	2	15	8	394	1,371
Bent	434	56,139	144	2,733	71	1,707	60,579
Crowley	382	37,940	80	960	89	2,217	41,117
Custer	129	17,537	15	834	2	40	18,411
Fremont	704	15,454	103	1,545	94	453	17,452
Huerfano	280	16,057	27	1,344	14	399	17,800
Las Animas	361	23,448	27	462	29	399	24,309
Otero	856	68,701	169	1,895	147	2,199	72,795
Provers	635	86,583	145	3,840	103	3,278	93,701
Pueblo	677	42,067	71	1,693	163	2,176	45,936
Total Southeast District	4,476	364,888	783	15,321	720	13,262	393,471
State Total	25,790	2,253,868	7,750	237,127	2,897	60,816	2,551,811¹

¹Excludes 320,537 acres of irrigated wild grass pasture.

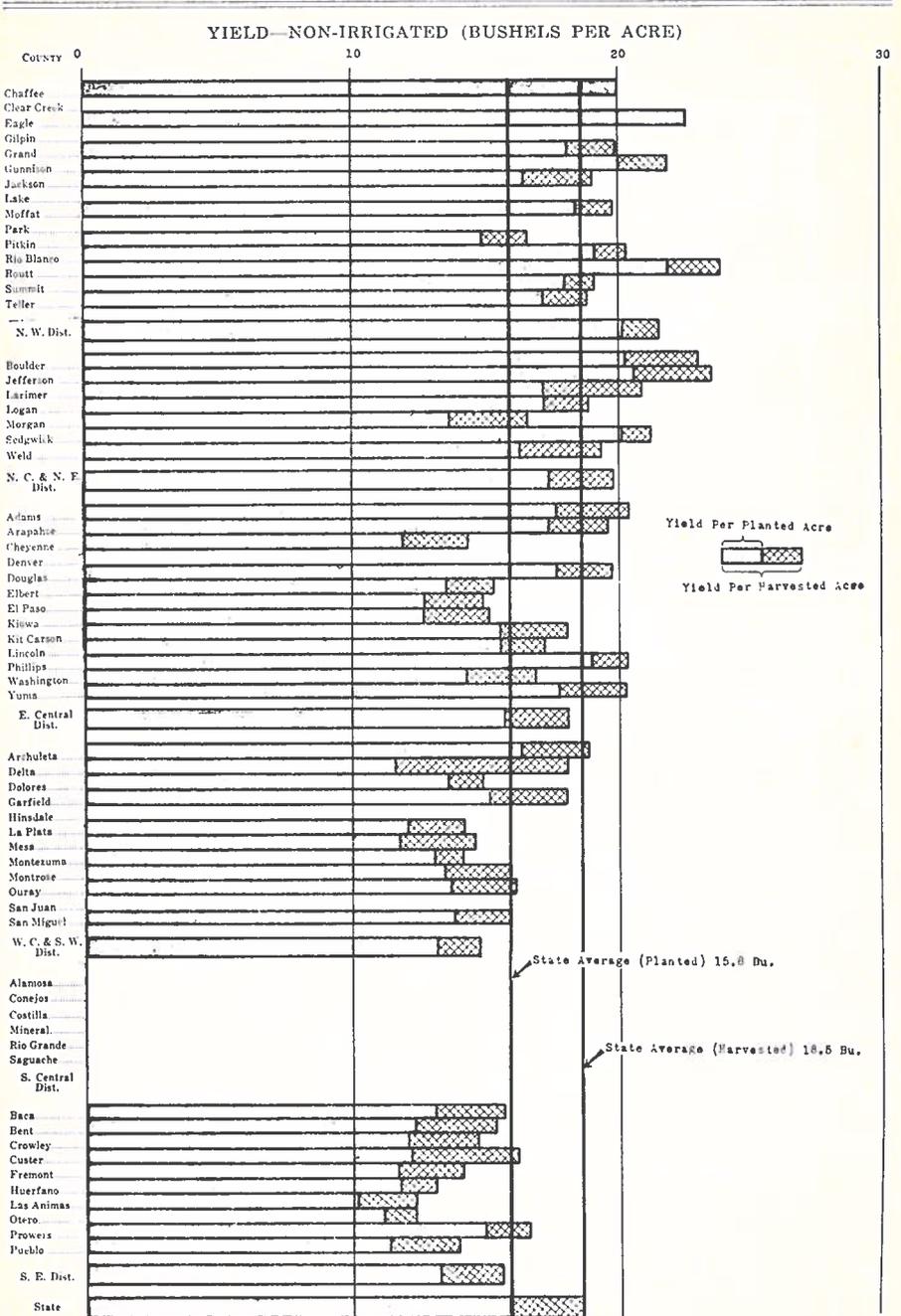
CORN—ALL PURPOSES—1952

COUNTY	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL		
	Acres Har-vested	Bushels Per Acre	Prod. Bushels	Acres Har-vested	Bushels Per Acre	Prod. Bushels	Acres Har-vested	Prod. Bushels	Value Dollars
Chaffee	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Clear Creek	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Eagle	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Gilpin	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Grand	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Gunnison	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Jackson	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Lake	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Moffat	60	32	1,920	120	15	1,800	180	3,720	\$ 6,436
Park	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Pitkin	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Rio Blanco	50	32	1,600	50	14	700	100	2,300	3,979
Routt	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Summit	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Teller	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total Northwest District	110	32.0	3,520	170	14.7	2,500	280	6,020	\$ 10,415
Boulder	7,830	49	383,670	190	19	3,610	8,020	387,280	\$ 646,758
Jefferson	1,400	43	60,200	220	17	3,740	1,620	63,940	108,059
Larimer	11,880	49	582,120	1,470	19	27,930	13,350	610,050	1,018,784
Logan	14,960	45	673,200	13,050	11	143,550	28,010	816,750	1,290,465
Morgan	24,220	64	1,550,080	7,240	10	72,400	31,460	1,622,480	2,628,418
Sedgwick	4,610	47	216,670	5,710	16	91,360	10,320	308,030	483,607
Weld	44,690	62	2,770,780	7,430	13	96,590	52,120	2,867,370	4,702,187
Total North Central and N. E. District	109,590	56.9	6,236,720	35,310	12.4	439,180	144,900	6,675,900	\$10,878,578
Adams	6,670	50	333,500	3,500	11	38,500	10,170	372,000	\$ 606,360
Arapahoe	500	47	23,500	4,710	12	56,520	5,210	80,020	129,632
Cheyenne	---	---	---	3,690	10	36,900	3,690	36,900	59,040
Denver	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Douglas	320	43	13,760	3,390	8	27,120	3,710	40,880	68,270
Elbert	---	---	---	14,930	9	134,370	14,930	134,370	219,023
El Paso	1,770	43	76,110	23,550	8	188,400	25,320	264,510	444,377
Kiowa	---	---	---	3,160	10	31,600	3,160	31,600	51,508
Kit Carson	90	33	2,970	9,170	8	73,360	9,260	76,330	118,312
Lincoln	---	---	---	14,310	8	114,480	14,310	114,480	178,589
Phillips	220	45	9,900	19,700	14	275,800	19,920	285,700	442,835
Washington	2,280	61	139,080	24,990	8	199,920	27,270	339,000	518,670
Yuma	500	62	31,000	74,640	12	895,680	75,140	926,680	1,417,820
Total East Central District	12,350	51.0	629,820	199,740	10.4	2,072,650	212,090	2,702,470	\$ 4,251,436
Archuleta	110	44	4,840	90	11	990	200	5,830	\$ 9,791
Delta	7,110	51	362,610	110	14	1,540	7,220	364,150	608,130
Dolores	10	42	420	90	12	1,080	100	1,500	2,550
Garfield	730	42	30,660	170	14	2,380	900	33,040	56,829
Hinsdale	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
La Plata	960	43	41,280	330	15	4,950	1,290	46,230	78,129
Mesa	7,940	53	420,820	320	11	3,520	8,260	424,340	712,891
Montezuma	1,100	43	47,300	320	15	4,800	1,420	52,100	89,612
Montrose	8,200	47	385,400	90	15	1,350	8,290	386,750	653,608
Ouray	50	43	2,150	10	15	150	60	2,300	3,887
San Juan	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
San Miguel	100	42	4,200	110	15	1,650	210	5,850	9,945
Total West Central and S. W. District	26,310	49.4	1,299,680	1,640	13.7	22,410	27,950	1,322,090	\$ 2,225,375
Alamosa	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Conchos	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Costilla	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Mineral	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Rio Grande	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Saguache	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total South Central District	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Baca	850	36	30,600	2,760	7	19,320	3,610	49,920	\$ 82,368
Bent	7,700	39	300,300	940	9	8,460	8,640	308,760	512,542
Crowley	7,400	39	288,600	2,600	9	23,400	10,000	312,000	511,680
Custer	280	38	10,640	520	10	5,200	800	15,840	27,245
Fremont	910	40	36,400	390	12	4,680	1,300	41,080	71,068
Huerfano	170	34	5,780	290	6	1,740	460	7,520	12,859
Las Animas	420	34	14,280	1,940	6	11,640	2,360	25,920	44,064
Otero	12,730	43	547,390	2,040	6	12,240	14,770	559,630	940,178
Prowers	12,110	36	435,960	1,470	7	10,290	13,580	446,250	736,312
Pueblo	7,140	50	357,000	3,180	7	22,260	10,320	379,260	644,742
Total Southeast District	49,710	40.3	2,026,950	16,130	7.4	119,230	65,840	2,146,180	\$ 3,583,058
State Total	198,070	51.5	10,196,690	252,990	10.5	2,655,970	451,060	12,852,660	\$20,951,862

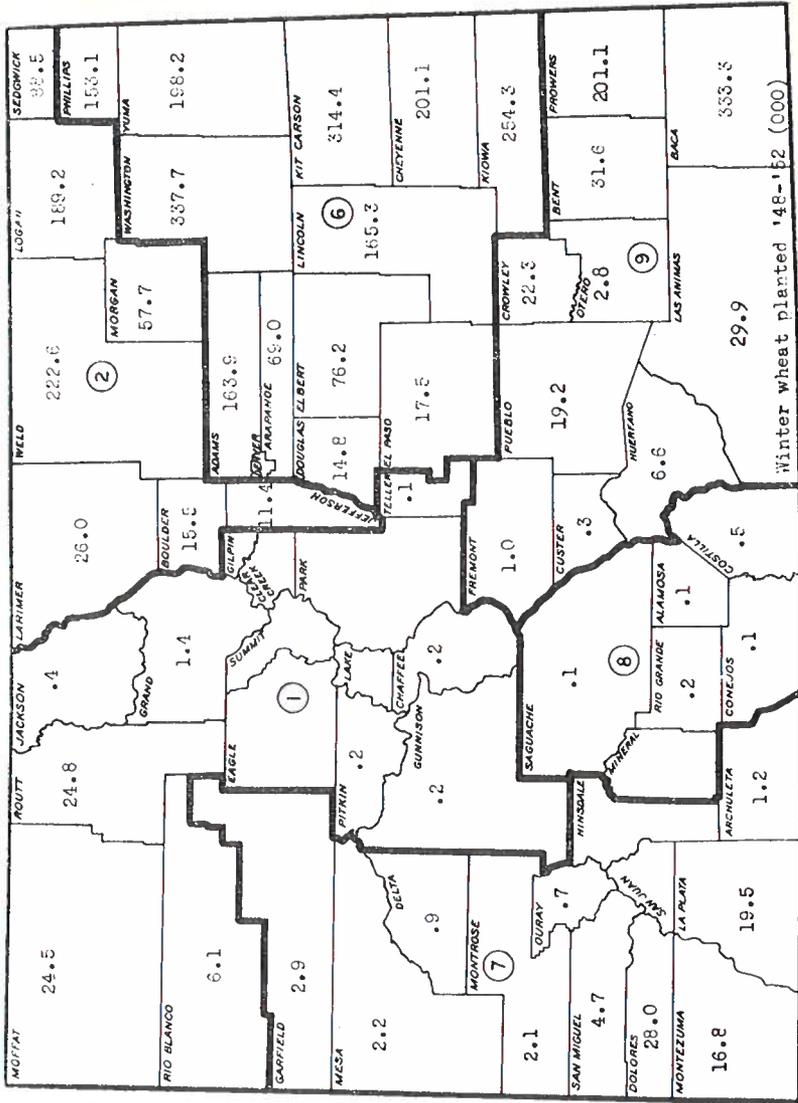
WINTER WHEAT AND CORN — YIELD PER HARVESTED ACRE
10 YEAR AVERAGE, 1942-1951



WINTER WHEAT — YIELD PER HARVESTED AND PER PLANTED ACRE
10 YEAR AVERAGE, 1942-1951



WINTER WHEAT—ACRES PLANTED
Average 1948-1952
(Thousand Acres)



Winter wheat planted '48-'52 (000)

WINTER WHEAT—1952

COUNTY	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL		
	Acres Har-vested	Bushels Per Acre	Pro-duction Bushels	Acres Har-vested	Bushels Per Acre	Pro-duction Bushels	Acres Har-vested	Pro-duction Bushels	Value Dollars
Chaffee	230	25	5,750	---	---	---	230	5,750	\$ 11,385
Clear Creek	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Eagle	40	29	1,160	---	---	---	40	1,160	2,285
Gilpin	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Grand	110	28	3,080	1,130	18	20,340	1,240	23,420	46,372
Gunnison	60	28	1,680	---	---	---	60	1,680	3,326
Jackson	20	27	540	790	18	14,220	810	14,760	29,225
Lake	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Moffat	200	27	5,400	34,770	16	556,320	34,970	561,720	1,095,354
Park	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Pitkin	30	28	840	90	16	1,440	120	2,280	4,492
Rio Blanco	160	29	4,640	6,750	19	128,250	6,910	132,890	259,136
Routt	30	25	750	24,850	21	521,850	24,880	522,600	1,024,296
Summit	---	---	---	40	17	680	40	680	1,360
Teller	---	---	---	40	17	680	40	680	1,394
Total Northwest District	880	27.1	23,840	68,460	18.2	1,243,780	69,340	1,267,620	\$ 2,478,625
Boulder	3,070	32	98,240	12,240	25	306,000	15,310	404,240	\$ 844,862
Jefferson	2,660	32	85,120	7,200	26	187,200	9,860	272,320	569,149
Larimer	2,500	31	77,500	23,910	20	478,200	26,410	555,700	1,161,413
Logan	1,820	21	38,220	190,680	20	3,813,600	192,500	3,851,820	8,127,340
Morzan	4,150	36	149,400	66,620	14	932,680	70,770	1,082,080	2,261,547
Sedgwick	230	29	6,670	95,580	25	2,389,500	95,810	2,396,170	5,055,919
Weld	14,950	29	433,550	221,620	18	3,989,160	236,570	4,422,710	9,243,464
Total N. Central and N. E. District	29,380	30.2	888,700	617,850	19.6	12,096,340	647,230	12,985,040	\$ 27,263,694
Adams	5,660	35	198,100	168,670	20	3,373,400	174,330	3,571,500	\$ 7,428,720
Arapahoe	490	33	16,170	74,830	20	1,496,600	75,320	1,512,770	3,131,434
Cheyenne	---	---	---	194,430	15	2,916,450	194,430	2,916,450	6,007,887
Denver	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Douglas	80	28	2,240	14,510	21	304,710	14,590	306,950	632,317
Elbert	---	---	---	88,160	16	1,410,560	88,160	1,410,560	2,905,754
El Paso	80	27	2,160	19,600	11	216,500	19,770	218,750	455,000
Kiowa	---	---	---	218,300	12	2,619,600	218,300	2,619,600	5,448,768
Kit Carson	---	---	---	323,050	17	5,491,850	323,050	5,491,850	11,423,048
Lincoln	---	---	---	174,740	12	2,096,880	174,740	2,096,880	4,319,573
Phillips	---	---	---	163,210	27	4,406,670	163,210	4,406,670	9,254,007
Washington	570	29	16,530	351,080	16	5,617,280	351,650	5,633,810	11,661,987
Yuma	---	---	---	210,900	22	4,639,800	210,900	4,639,800	9,650,784
Total East Central District	6,880	34.2	235,200	2,001,570	17.3	31,590,390	2,008,450	34,825,590	\$ 72,319,279
Archuleta	160	28	4,480	600	15	9,000	760	13,480	\$ 26,421
Delta	400	34	13,600	60	18	1,080	460	14,680	29,213
Dolores	---	---	---	40,800	15	613,350	40,800	613,350	1,106,032
Garfield	440	28	12,320	3,960	19	75,240	4,400	87,560	174,214
Hinsdale	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
La Plata	7,580	30	227,400	15,710	21	329,910	23,290	557,310	1,092,328
Mesa	1,000	31	31,000	580	11	6,380	1,580	37,380	74,760
Montezuma	780	24	18,720	28,620	18	515,160	29,400	533,880	1,046,405
Montrose	1,130	30	33,900	100	16	1,600	1,230	35,500	69,935
Ouray	60	28	1,680	510	16	8,160	570	9,840	19,286
San Juan	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
San Miguel	560	28	15,680	5,080	16	81,280	5,640	96,960	189,072
Total West Central and S. W. District	12,110	29.6	358,780	96,110	17.1	1,641,160	108,220	1,999,940	\$ 3,917,696
Alamosa	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Conejos	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Costilla	330	20	6,600	---	---	---	330	6,600	\$ 13,464
Mineral	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Rio Grande	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Saguache	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total South Central District	330	20.0	6,600	---	---	---	330	6,600	\$ 13,464
Baca	320	21	6,720	86,950	8	695,600	87,270	702,320	\$ 1,467,849
Bent	6,830	30	204,900	7,280	6	43,680	14,160	250,080	522,667
Crowley	310	28	8,680	19,200	8	153,600	19,510	162,280	339,165
Custer	110	21	2,310	80	8	640	190	2,950	6,077
Fremont	100	19	1,900	680	8	5,440	780	7,340	15,267
Huerfano	180	21	3,780	4,330	9	38,970	4,510	42,750	88,492
Las Animas	90	23	2,070	10,710	5	53,550	10,800	55,620	116,246
Otero	1,260	30	37,800	320	5	1,600	1,580	39,400	82,346
Prowers	8,340	28	233,520	119,210	9	1,072,800	127,550	1,306,410	2,730,397
Pueblo	820	29	23,780	10,380	9	93,420	11,200	117,200	244,948
Total Southeast District	18,410	28.6	526,960	259,140	8.3	2,159,390	277,550	2,686,350	\$ 5,613,454
State Total	67,990	30.0	2,040,080	3,043,130	17.0	51,731,060	3,111,120	53,771,140	\$ 111,606,212

SPRING WHEAT—1952

COUNTY	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL		
	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Prod. Bushels	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Prod. Bushels	Acres Harvested	Prod. Bushels	Value Dollars
Chaffee	220	23	5,060	---	---	---	220	5,060	\$ 10,322
Clear Creek	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Eagle	750	42	31,500	120	19	2,280	870	33,780	68,573
Gilpin	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Grand	70	31	2,170	250	14	3,500	320	5,670	11,397
Gunnison	120	31	3,720	---	---	---	120	3,720	7,514
Jackson	50	31	1,550	---	---	---	50	1,550	3,116
Lake	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Moffat	100	30	3,000	7,550	18	135,900	7,650	138,900	272,244
Park	---	---	---	30	16	480	30	480	979
Pitkin	350	38	13,300	80	17	1,360	430	14,660	29,760
Rio Blanco	100	37	3,700	1,000	17	17,000	1,100	20,700	40,779
Routt	30	32	960	7,230	20	144,600	7,260	145,560	288,209
Summit	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Teller	---	---	---	80	17	510	30	510	1,056
Total Northwest District	1,790	36.3	64,960	16,290	18.8	305,630	18,080	370,590	\$ 733,949
Boulder	520	31	16,120	140	16	2,240	660	18,360	\$ 36,720
Jefferson	300	33	9,900	140	15	2,100	440	12,000	24,960
Larimer	700	33	23,100	1,210	15	18,150	1,910	41,250	85,800
Logan	60	30	1,800	520	11	5,720	580	7,520	15,792
Morgan	360	30	10,800	1,230	11	13,530	1,590	24,330	50,850
Sedgwick	100	28	2,800	80	12	960	180	3,760	7,836
Weld	970	29	28,130	1,430	12	17,160	2,400	45,290	94,656
Total N. Central and N. E. District	3,010	30.8	92,650	4,750	12.6	59,860	7,760	152,510	\$ 316,674
Adams	1,130	29	32,770	1,040	12	12,480	2,170	45,250	\$ 94,120
Arapahoe	180	30	5,400	420	12	5,040	600	10,440	21,715
Cheyenne	---	---	---	140	7	980	140	980	2,029
Denver	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Douglas	20	28	560	150	13	1,950	170	2,510	5,221
Elbert	---	---	---	1,540	10	15,400	1,540	15,400	31,878
El Paso	60	28	1,680	1,910	10	19,100	1,970	20,780	43,222
Kiowa	---	---	---	120	7	840	120	840	1,756
Kit Carson	---	---	---	130	8	1,040	130	1,040	2,163
Lincoln	---	---	---	860	9	7,740	860	7,740	16,022
Phillips	---	---	---	40	11	440	40	440	924
Washington	20	30	600	180	12	2,160	200	2,760	5,741
Yuma	---	---	---	130	13	1,690	130	1,690	3,532
Total East Central District	1,410	29.1	41,010	6,660	10.3	68,860	8,070	109,870	\$ 228,323
Archuleta	510	32	16,320	1,080	13	14,040	1,590	30,360	\$ 59,890
Delta	1,410	34	47,940	30	14	420	1,440	48,360	97,687
Dolores	---	---	---	460	13	5,980	460	5,980	11,840
Garfield	1,010	35	36,400	990	13	12,870	2,030	49,270	98,540
Hinsdale	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
La Plata	1,430	32	45,760	910	16	14,560	2,340	60,320	119,434
Mesa	500	29	14,500	150	13	1,950	650	16,450	33,229
Montezuma	600	27	16,200	1,060	14	14,840	1,660	31,040	61,459
Montrose	5,050	37	186,850	770	13	10,010	5,820	196,860	393,720
Ouray	280	37	10,360	70	15	1,050	350	11,410	22,478
San Juan	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
San Miguel	150	29	4,350	50	11	550	200	4,900	9,653
Total West Central and S. W. District	10,970	34.5	378,680	5,570	13.7	76,270	16,540	454,950	\$ 907,849
Alamosa	1,780	28	50,120	---	---	---	1,780	50,120	\$ 100,240
Conejos	3,380	27	91,260	---	---	---	3,380	91,260	182,520
Costilla	1,060	22	23,320	---	---	---	1,060	23,320	46,640
Mineral	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Rio Grande	4,280	31	132,680	---	---	---	4,280	132,680	265,360
Saguache	1,280	25	32,000	---	---	---	1,280	32,000	64,000
Total South Central District	11,790	27.9	329,380	---	---	---	11,790	329,380	\$ 658,760
Baca	---	---	---	160	7	1,120	160	1,120	\$ 2,352
Bent	100	25	2,500	210	6	1,260	310	3,760	7,896
Crowley	100	22	2,200	30	6	180	130	2,380	4,998
Custer	110	18	1,980	230	10	2,300	340	4,280	8,860
Fremont	20	18	360	---	---	---	20	360	756
Huerfano	230	18	4,140	440	7	3,080	670	7,220	14,873
Las Animas	150	18	2,700	550	9	4,950	700	7,650	15,836
Otero	150	28	4,200	---	---	---	150	4,200	8,820
Prowers	100	25	2,500	30	6	180	130	2,680	5,628
Pueblo	110	25	2,750	190	7	1,330	300	4,080	8,568
Total Southeast District	1,070	21.8	23,330	1,840	7.8	14,400	2,910	37,730	\$ 78,587
State Total	30,040	31.0	930,010	35,110	15.0	525,020	65,150	1,455,030	\$2,924,142

OATS—1952

COUNTY	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL		
	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Prod. Bushels	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Prod. Bushels	Acres Harvested	Prod. Bushels	Value Dollars
Chaffee	730	30	21,900	---	---	---	730	21,900	\$ 21,243
Clear Creek	40	37	1,480	---	---	---	40	1,480	1,421
Eagle	1,640	56	91,840	---	---	---	1,640	91,840	87,248
Gilpin	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Grand	810	32	25,920	860	29	24,940	1,670	50,860	48,826
Gunnison	110	29	3,190	20	24	480	130	3,670	3,560
Jackson	---	---	---	200	29	5,800	200	5,800	5,220
Lake	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Moffat	570	42	23,940	440	28	12,320	1,010	36,260	32,997
Park	50	39	1,950	200	23	4,600	250	6,550	6,288
Pitkin	720	56	40,320	30	30	900	750	41,220	39,571
Rio Blanco	1,050	52	54,600	120	30	3,600	1,170	58,200	54,126
Routt	300	36	10,800	9,420	36	339,120	9,720	349,920	314,928
Summit	20	35	700	120	29	3,480	140	4,180	4,013
Teller	---	---	---	170	29	4,930	170	4,930	4,831
Total Northwest District	6,040	45.8	276,640	11,580	34.6	400,170	17,620	676,810	\$ 624,272
Boulder	1,910	42	80,220	360	30	10,800	2,270	91,020	\$ 87,379
Jefferson	800	37	29,600	550	22	12,100	1,350	41,700	40,449
Larimer	4,030	38	153,140	820	29	23,780	4,850	176,920	168,074
Logan	2,570	34	87,380	4,520	20	90,400	7,090	177,780	158,224
Morgan	4,450	49	218,050	2,540	18	45,720	6,990	263,770	247,944
Sedgwick	1,240	38	47,120	1,980	18	35,640	3,220	82,760	74,484
Weld	8,550	40	342,000	4,720	18	84,960	13,270	426,960	401,342
Total North Central and N. E. District	23,550	40.7	957,510	15,490	19.6	303,400	39,040	1,260,910	\$1,177,896
Adams	1,870	42	78,540	830	21	17,430	2,700	95,970	\$ 92,131
Arapahoe	340	42	14,280	830	21	17,430	1,170	31,710	30,442
Cheyenne	---	---	---	420	9	3,780	420	3,780	3,515
Denver	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Douglas	90	35	3,150	2,390	16	38,240	2,480	41,390	40,976
Elbert	---	---	---	4,690	17	79,730	4,690	79,730	76,541
El Paso	220	35	7,700	5,010	9	45,090	5,230	52,790	52,790
Kiowa	---	---	---	120	10	1,200	120	1,200	1,104
Kit Carson	480	37	17,760	4,080	10	40,800	4,560	58,560	55,046
Lincoln	---	---	---	1,130	10	11,300	1,130	11,300	10,509
Phillips	20	37	740	2,630	19	49,970	2,650	50,710	45,639
Washington	400	40	16,000	8,900	9	80,100	9,300	96,100	87,451
Yuma	320	40	12,800	5,240	17	89,080	5,560	101,880	92,711
Total East Central District	3,740	40.4	150,970	36,270	13.1	474,150	40,010	625,120	\$ 588,855
Archuleta	580	33	19,140	790	29	22,910	1,370	42,050	\$ 40,368
Delta	4,900	48	235,200	50	25	1,250	4,950	236,450	224,628
Dolores	40	40	1,600	90	25	2,250	130	3,850	3,658
Garfield	2,770	50	138,500	370	25	9,250	3,140	147,750	138,885
Hinsdale	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
La Plata	5,480	30	164,400	1,960	27	52,920	7,440	217,320	208,627
Mesa	7,010	48	336,480	430	25	10,750	7,440	347,230	326,396
Montezuma	1,630	39	63,570	2,260	28	63,280	3,890	126,850	124,313
Montrose	7,720	44	339,680	180	27	4,860	7,900	344,540	320,422
Ouray	510	40	20,400	130	27	3,510	640	23,910	22,236
San Juan	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
San Miguel	320	40	12,800	50	26	1,300	370	14,100	13,113
Total West Central and S. W. District	30,960	43.0	1,331,770	6,310	27.3	172,280	37,270	1,504,050	\$1,422,646
Alamosa	7,480	31	231,880	---	---	---	7,480	231,880	\$ 211,011
Concejo	7,720	38	293,560	---	---	---	7,720	293,560	264,024
Costilla	2,640	30	79,200	---	---	---	2,640	79,200	70,488
Mineral	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Rio Grande	10,520	37	389,240	---	---	---	10,520	389,240	350,316
Saguache	12,690	30	380,700	---	---	---	12,690	380,700	346,437
Total South Central District	41,050	33.5	1,374,380	---	---	---	41,050	1,374,380	\$1,242,276
Baca	10	27	270	---	---	---	10	270	\$ 251
Bent	1,580	29	45,820	110	10	1,100	1,690	46,920	45,043
Crowley	600	25	15,000	260	10	2,600	860	17,600	16,896
Custer	1,500	28	42,000	1,550	20	31,000	3,050	73,000	70,080
Fremont	470	30	14,100	960	20	19,200	1,430	33,300	33,300
Huerfano	200	29	5,800	1,340	13	17,420	1,540	23,220	22,756
Las Animas	320	20	6,400	280	12	3,360	600	9,760	9,565
Otero	1,890	29	54,810	50	11	550	1,940	55,360	54,253
Prowers	1,790	23	41,170	920	10	9,200	2,710	50,370	47,348
Pueblo	1,330	40	53,200	930	10	9,300	2,260	62,500	62,500
Total Southeast District	9,690	28.7	278,570	6,400	14.6	93,730	16,090	372,300	\$ 361,992
State Total	115,030	38.0	4,369,840	76,050	19.0	1,443,730	191,080	5,813,570	\$5,417,937

BARLEY—1952

COUNTY	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL		
	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Prod. Bushels	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Prod. Bushels	Acres Harvested	Prod. Bushels	Value Dollars
Chaffee	540	35	18,900	---	---	---	540	18,900	\$ 27,216
Clear Creek	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Eagle	320	49	15,680	60	20	1,200	380	16,880	24,307
Gilpin	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Grand	200	34	6,800	590	16	9,440	790	16,240	22,898
Gunnison	90	32	2,880	10	20	200	100	3,080	4,466
Jackson	20	31	620	160	21	3,360	180	3,980	5,532
Lake	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Moffat	170	39	6,630	740	21	15,540	910	22,170	31,925
Park	---	---	---	240	14	3,360	240	3,360	4,771
Pitkin	160	40	6,400	40	16	640	200	7,040	10,208
Rio Blanco	250	40	10,000	220	22	4,840	470	14,840	21,370
Routt	80	36	2,880	3,910	31	121,210	3,990	124,090	172,485
Summit	50	35	1,750	110	17	1,870	160	3,620	5,177
Teller	20	34	680	50	19	950	70	1,630	2,315
Total Northwest District	1,900	38.5	73,220	6,130	26.5	162,610	8,030	235,830	\$ 332,670
Boulder	8,080	39	315,120	6,660	20	133,200	14,740	448,320	\$ 596,266
Jefferson	2,760	36	99,360	550	20	11,000	3,310	110,360	148,986
Larimer	11,570	39	451,230	5,720	18	102,960	17,290	554,190	737,073
Logan	12,720	29	368,880	3,890	13	49,400	16,520	418,280	547,947
Morgan	11,020	39	429,780	5,050	13	65,650	16,070	495,430	663,876
Sedgwick	2,330	29	67,570	1,190	17	20,230	3,520	87,800	113,262
Weld	55,690	41	2,283,290	19,760	12	237,120	75,450	2,520,410	3,352,145
Total North Central and N. E. District	104,170	38.5	4,015,230	42,730	14.5	619,560	146,900	4,634,790	\$ 6,159,555
Adams	5,210	36	187,560	7,040	10	70,400	12,250	257,960	\$ 345,666
Arapahoe	610	34	20,740	7,670	12	92,040	8,280	112,780	151,255
Cheyenne	---	---	---	1,770	6	10,620	1,770	10,620	13,487
Denver	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Douglas	80	29	2,320	2,650	11	29,150	2,730	31,470	41,373
Elbert	---	---	---	7,640	7	53,480	7,640	53,480	73,802
El Paso	220	29	6,380	3,000	6	18,000	3,220	24,380	34,620
Kiowa	---	---	---	2,880	6	17,280	2,880	17,280	21,946
Kit Carson	30	29	870	8,050	9	72,450	8,080	78,320	90,917
Lincoln	30	29	870	8,260	6	49,560	8,290	50,430	65,055
Phillips	20	29	580	3,170	17	53,890	3,190	54,470	68,632
Washington	1,090	38	41,420	17,320	11	190,520	18,410	231,940	292,244
Yuma	440	27	11,880	2,830	14	39,620	3,270	51,500	63,860
Total East Central District	7,730	35.3	272,620	72,280	9.6	697,010	80,010	969,630	\$ 1,265,727
Archuleta	200	37	7,400	420	21	8,820	620	16,220	22,546
Delta	4,080	44	179,520	70	20	1,400	4,150	180,920	258,716
Dolores	60	34	2,040	540	17	9,180	600	11,220	16,157
Garfield	2,600	42	109,200	110	20	2,200	2,710	111,400	160,416
Hinsdale	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
La Plata	2,730	37	101,010	1,130	24	27,120	3,860	128,130	184,507
Mesa	2,400	39	93,600	90	21	1,890	2,490	95,490	138,460
Montezuma	1,460	34	49,640	440	20	8,800	1,900	58,440	87,076
Montrose	4,100	44	180,400	110	13	1,430	4,210	181,830	254,562
Ouray	300	32	9,600	140	12	1,680	440	11,280	15,792
San Juan	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
San Miguel	200	36	7,200	410	16	6,560	610	13,760	19,677
Total West Central and S. W. District	18,130	40.8	739,610	3,460	20.0	69,080	21,590	808,690	\$ 1,157,909
Alamosa	8,220	32	263,040	---	---	---	8,220	263,040	\$ 349,843
Conejos	12,130	41	497,330	---	---	---	12,130	497,330	661,449
Costilla	3,050	29	88,450	---	---	---	3,050	88,450	117,638
Mineral	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Rio Grande	10,330	35	361,550	---	---	---	10,330	361,550	488,092
Saguache	7,070	33	233,310	---	---	---	7,070	233,310	312,635
Total South Central District	40,800	35.4	1,443,680	---	---	---	40,800	1,443,680	\$ 1,929,657
Baca	90	16	1,440	1,230	6	7,380	1,320	8,820	\$ 11,819
Bent	2,080	19	39,520	330	7	2,310	2,410	41,830	56,052
Crowley	1,350	18	24,300	230	7	1,610	1,580	25,910	34,460
Custer	400	30	12,000	1,180	14	16,520	1,580	28,520	40,498
Fremont	520	30	9,600	720	12	8,640	1,040	18,240	25,901
Huerfano	1,080	29	31,320	2,420	8	19,360	3,500	50,680	68,418
Las Animas	880	20	17,600	1,710	5	8,550	2,590	26,150	35,302
Otero	4,080	30	122,400	450	5	2,250	4,530	124,650	168,278
Prowers	2,050	21	43,050	2,030	8	16,240	4,080	59,290	79,449
Pueblo	2,990	37	110,630	2,150	6	12,900	5,140	123,530	174,177
Total Southeast District	15,320	26.9	411,860	12,450	7.7	95,760	27,770	507,620	\$ 694,354
State Total	188,050	37.0	6,956,220	137,050	12.0	1,644,020	325,100	8,600,240	\$11,539,872

POTATOES—1952

COUNTY	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL		
	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Prod. Bushels	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Prod. Bushels	Acres Harvested	Prod. Bushels	Value Dollars
Chaffee	40	260	10,400	--	--	----	40	10,400	\$ 18,720
Clear Creek	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Eagle	460	305	140,300	---	---	---	460	140,300	238,510
Gilpin	---	---	---	10	70	700	10	700	1,246
Grand	10	270	2,700	---	---	---	10	2,700	4,779
Gunnison	10	140	1,400	---	---	---	10	1,400	2,520
Jackson	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Lake	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Moffat	40	200	8,000	60	60	3,600	100	11,600	20,416
Park	---	---	---	30	60	1,800	30	1,800	3,240
Pitkin	160	358	57,280	---	---	---	160	57,280	100,240
Rio Blanco	20	270	5,400	---	---	---	20	5,400	9,996
Routt	90	235	21,150	140	87	12,180	230	33,330	57,661
Summit	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Teller	---	---	---	50	45	2,250	50	2,250	4,005
Total Northwest District	830	297	246,630	290	71	20,530	1,120	267,160	\$ 460,733
Boulder	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Jefferson	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Larimer	190	351	66,690	10	75	750	200	67,440	\$ 113,974
Logan	90	342	30,780	10	80	800	100	31,580	53,370
Morgan	1,150	404	464,600	50	78	3,900	1,200	468,500	791,765
Sedgwick	1,210	380	459,800	250	83	20,750	1,460	480,550	816,935
Weld	10,450	390	4,075,500	130	80	10,400	10,580	4,085,900	6,619,158
Total North Central and N. E. District	13,090	389	5,097,370	450	81	36,600	13,540	5,133,970	\$ 8,395,202
Adams	70	380	26,600	---	---	---	70	26,600	\$ 44,422
Arapahoe	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Cheyenne	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Denver	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Douglas	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Elbert	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
El Paso	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Kiowa	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Kit Carson	---	---	---	10	80	800	10	800	1,328
Lincoln	---	---	---	70	80	5,600	70	5,600	9,296
Phillips	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Washington	30	313	9,390	10	80	800	40	10,190	17,221
Yuma	20	313	6,260	---	---	---	20	6,260	10,392
Total East Central District	120	352	42,250	90	80	7,200	210	49,450	\$ 82,659
Archuleta	10	280	2,800	---	---	---	10	2,800	\$ 4,900
Delta	40	288	11,520	---	---	---	40	11,520	19,469
Dolores	30	260	7,800	50	86	4,300	80	12,100	21,175
Garfield	190	310	58,900	20	73	1,460	210	60,360	101,405
Hinsdale	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
La Plata	70	272	19,040	10	85	850	80	19,890	34,808
Mesa	210	297	62,370	70	85	5,950	280	68,320	116,827
Montezuma	310	290	89,900	---	---	---	310	89,900	152,830
Montrose	890	350	311,500	20	80	1,600	910	313,100	526,008
Ouray	20	205	4,100	---	---	---	20	4,100	7,011
San Juan	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
San Miguel	20	260	5,200	---	---	---	20	5,200	9,100
Total West Central and S. W. District	1,790	320	573,130	170	83	14,160	1,960	587,290	\$ 993,533
Alamosa	4,410	373	1,644,930	---	---	---	4,410	1,644,930	\$ 2,862,178
Conejos	2,860	399	1,141,140	---	---	---	2,860	1,141,140	1,985,584
Costilla	1,710	372	636,120	---	---	---	1,710	636,120	1,094,126
Mineral	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Rio Grande	15,370	429	6,593,730	---	---	---	15,370	6,593,730	11,539,023
Saguache	8,370	361	3,021,570	---	---	---	8,370	3,021,570	5,227,316
Total South Central District	32,720	398	13,037,490	---	---	---	32,720	13,037,490	\$22,708,232
Baca	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Bent	60	255	15,300	---	---	---	60	15,300	\$ 25,857
Crowley	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Custer	10	300	3,000	10	80	800	20	3,800	6,992
Fremont	---	---	---	10	80	800	10	800	1,472
Huerfano	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Las Animas	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Otero	240	347	83,280	---	---	---	240	83,280	141,576
Prowers	170	354	60,180	---	---	---	170	60,180	101,704
Pueblo	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total Southeast District	480	337	161,760	20	80	1,600	500	163,360	\$ 277,601
State Total	49,030	391	19,158,630	1,020	79	80,090	50,050	19,238,720	\$32,917,960

BEANS (DRY)—1952

COUNTY	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL		
	Acres Har-vested	Pounds Per Acre	Prod. 100 Lb. Bags	Acres Har-vested	Pounds Per Acre	Prod. 100 Lb. Bags	Acres Har-vested	Prod. 100 Lb. Bags	Value Dollars
Chaffee									
Clear Creek									
Eagle									
Gilpin									
Grand									
Gunnison									
Jackson									
Lake									
Moffat									
Park									
Pitkin									
Rio Blanco									
Routt									
Summit									
Teller									
Total Northwest District									
Boulder	20	1,630	326				20	326	\$ 2,551
Jefferson									
Larimer	1,220	1,610	19,642	50	500	250	1,270	19,892	158,876
Logan	1,900	1,460	27,740	180	440	792	2,080	28,532	227,882
Morgan	11,100	1,900	210,900	680	460	3,128	11,780	214,028	1,730,413
Sedgwick	2,110	1,560	32,916	60	490	294	2,170	33,210	259,838
Weld	42,030	1,970	827,991	1,160	500	5,800	43,190	833,791	6,631,971
Total North Central and N. E. District	58,380	1,918	1,119,515	2,130	482	10,264	60,510	1,129,779	\$ 9,011,531
Adams	400	960	3,840	240	360	864	640	4,704	\$ 37,031
Arapahoe	10	960	96	310	360	1,116	320	1,212	9,545
Cheyenne				60	360	216	60	216	1,640
Denver									
Douglas				60	410	246	60	246	1,919
Elbert				1,890	390	7,371	1,890	7,371	58,876
El Paso	600	1,260	7,560	12,100	240	29,040	12,700	36,600	286,852
Kiowa									
Kit Carson									
Lincoln	10	1,030	103	1,880	260	4,888	1,890	4,991	38,165
Phillips									
Washington	1,120	1,860	20,832	490	310	1,519	1,610	22,351	178,518
Yuma									
Total East Central District	2,140	1,515	32,431	17,030	266	45,260	19,170	77,691	\$ 612,546
Archuleta									
Delta	910	1,660	15,106	30	370	111	940	15,217	\$ 114,800
Dolores				29,820	500	149,100	29,820	149,100	1,173,715
Garfield									
Hinsdale									
La Plata	600	1,030	6,180	2,950	470	13,865	3,550	20,045	156,153
Mesa	1,430	1,550	22,165	240	370	888	1,670	23,053	181,124
Montezuma	4,730	1,060	50,138	29,200	520	151,840	33,930	201,978	1,556,844
Montrose	5,170	1,760	90,992	140	470	658	5,310	91,650	668,128
Ouray									
San Juan									
San Miguel	130	1,260	1,638	3,770	330	12,441	3,900	14,079	111,507
Total West Central and S. W. District	12,970	1,436	186,219	66,130	497	328,903	79,120	515,122	\$ 3,962,271
Alamosa									
Conejos	390	860	3,354				390	3,354	\$ 26,082
Costilla	90	860	774				90	774	5,981
Mineral									
Rio Grande									
Saguache									
Total South Central District	480	860	4,128				480	4,128	\$ 32,063
Baca				240	160	384	240	384	\$ 2,975
Bent	90	920	828	30	160	48	120	876	6,781
Crowley	460	860	3,956	1,410	260	3,666	1,870	7,622	59,738
Custer									
Fremont	20	750	150	10	260	26	30	176	1,386
Huerfano	60	850	510	50	160	80	110	590	4,620
Las Animas	1,100	760	8,360	1,800	180	3,240	2,900	11,600	90,364
Otero	1,110	1,310	14,541	50	160	80	1,160	14,621	115,095
Prowers	130	960	1,248	30	160	48	160	1,296	10,033
Pueblo	3,060	1,180	36,108	6,180	260	16,068	9,240	52,176	415,739
Total Southeast District	6,030	1,090	65,701	9,800	241	23,640	15,830	89,341	\$ 706,731
State Total	80,000	1,760	1,407,994	95,110	429	408,067	175,110	1,816,061	\$14,325,142

SUGAR BEETS AND BROOMCORN—1952

SUGAR BEETS—IRRIGATED

COUNTY	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Harvested	Tons Per Acre	Production Tons	Value
Boulder	2,339	94	2,205	17.0	37,485	\$ 446,072
Jefferson	48	100	48	14.2	682	8,116
Larimer	8,142	95	7,701	13.6	104,734	1,246,335
Logan	7,920	94	7,447	14.1	105,003	1,249,536
Morgan	18,470	96	17,735	18.7	331,644	3,969,779
Sedgwick	2,941	99	2,919	19.7	57,504	684,298
Weld	57,280	96	55,074	18.4	1,013,362	12,059,008
Total N. Central and N. E. Districts	97,140	96	93,129	17.7	1,650,414	\$19,663,144
Adams	2,859	95	2,725	16.7	45,508	\$ 541,545
Arapahoe	15	100	15	14.7	220	2,541
Cheyenne	---	---	---	---	---	---
Denver	---	---	---	---	---	---
Douglas	---	---	---	---	---	---
Elbert	---	---	---	---	---	---
El Paso	---	---	---	---	---	---
Kiowa	---	---	---	---	---	---
Kit Carson	---	---	---	---	---	---
Lincoln	---	---	---	---	---	---
Phillips	---	---	---	---	---	---
Washington	540	90	490	18.8	9,212	109,623
Yuma	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total East Central District	3,414	95	3,230	17.0	54,940	\$ 653,709
Archuleta	---	---	---	---	---	---
Delta	571	97	554	14.8	8,199	\$ 97,158
Dolores	---	---	---	---	---	---
Garfield	130	100	130	13.9	1,807	21,413
Hinsdale	---	---	---	---	---	---
La Plata	---	---	---	---	---	---
Mesa	1,850	96	1,780	16.4	29,192	345,925
Montezuma	---	---	---	---	---	---
Montrose	1,020	95	970	14.9	14,453	171,268
Ouray	10	100	10	15.0	150	1,778
San Juan	---	---	---	---	---	---
San Miguel	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total West Central and S. W. Districts	3,584	96	3,444	15.6	53,801	\$ 637,542
Alamosa	107	75	80	11.8	944	11,234
Conejos	217	69	150	8.9	1,335	15,886
Costilla	---	---	---	---	---	---
Mineral	---	---	---	---	---	---
Rio Grande	104	82	85	9.0	765	9,104
Saguache	51	63	34	11.3	384	4,570
Total South Central District	482	72	349	9.8	3,428	\$ 40,794
Baca	---	---	---	---	---	---
Bent	542	95	517	15.7	8,117	\$ 96,592
Crowley	2,321	96	2,237	15.0	33,555	394,271
Custer	---	---	---	---	---	---
Fremont	34	100	34	13.8	469	5,581
Huerfano	---	---	---	---	---	---
Las Animas	414	94	388	14.8	5,742	68,043
Otero	3,823	98	3,748	15.3	57,344	682,394
Prowers	2,847	92	2,621	10.9	28,602	340,361
Pueblo	3,225	97	3,127	14.3	44,716	516,023
Total Southeast District	13,206	96	12,675	14.1	178,545	\$ 2,103,268
State Total	117,826	96	112,827	17.2	1,941,128	\$23,098,457

BROOMCORN—IRRIGATED AND NON-IRRIGATED

COUNTY	Acres Harvested	Pounds Per Acre	Production Pounds
Kiowa	---	---	---
Baca	53,700	125	6,712,500
Bent	300	125	37,500
Crowley	180	110	19,800
Las Animas	900	126	113,400
Prowers	2,910	126	366,660
State Total	57,990	125	7,249,860

RYE—1952

COUNTY	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Value Dollars
Chaffee	140	50	70	14	980	\$ 1,607
Clear Creek	---	---	---	---	---	---
Eagle	20	50	10	14	140	231
Gilpin	---	---	---	---	---	---
Grand	120	50	60	14	840	1,386
Gunnison	200	50	100	13	1,300	2,132
Jackson	460	50	230	13	2,990	4,904
Lake	---	---	---	---	---	---
Moffat	1,830	35	640	9	5,760	9,504
Park	---	---	---	---	---	---
Pitkin	---	---	---	---	---	---
Rio Blanco	220	45	100	16	1,600	2,672
Routt	130	45	60	16	960	1,584
Summit	---	---	---	---	---	---
Teller	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total Northwest District	3,120	41	1,270	11.5	14,570	\$ 24,020
Boulder	190	54	100	13	1,300	\$ 2,145
Jefferson	220	46	100	14	1,400	2,268
Larimer	190	53	100	13	1,300	2,145
Logan	3,880	43	1,670	10	16,700	26,553
Morgan	2,120	43	910	8	7,280	11,502
Sedgwick	1,580	53	840	9	7,560	11,945
Weld	3,220	59	1,900	10	19,000	29,260
Total N. Central & N.E. District	11,400	49	5,620	9.7	54,540	\$ 85,818
Adams	480	52	250	10	2,500	\$ 3,875
Arapahoe	370	52	190	10	1,900	2,964
Cheyenne	1,460	48	700	8	5,600	8,848
Denver	---	---	---	---	---	---
Douglas	210	56	120	10	1,200	1,968
Elbert	1,370	52	710	7	4,970	7,952
El Paso	1,300	54	700	7	4,900	7,987
Kiowa	3,880	52	2,020	6	12,120	19,150
Kit Carson	1,200	59	710	6	4,260	6,773
Lincoln	1,400	50	700	7	4,900	7,938
Phillips	2,630	49	1,290	9	11,610	18,344
Washington	4,310	68	2,930	8	23,440	36,804
Yuma	12,390	61	7,560	6	45,360	72,122
Total East Central District	31,000	58	17,880	6.9	122,760	\$194,722
Archuleta	210	47	100	15	1,500	\$ 2,445
Delta	210	48	100	17	1,700	2,771
Dolores	---	---	---	---	---	---
Garfield	310	45	140	15	2,100	3,465
Hinsdale	---	---	---	---	---	---
La Plata	630	51	320	14	4,480	7,258
Mesa	200	40	80	15	1,200	1,980
Montezuma	100	40	40	10	400	652
Montrose	150	47	70	17	1,190	1,940
Ouray	---	---	---	---	---	---
San Juan	---	---	---	---	---	---
San Miguel	110	45	50	10	500	805
Total W. Central & S.W. District	1,920	47	900	14.5	13,070	\$ 21,316
Alamosa	---	---	---	---	---	---
Conejos	---	---	---	---	---	---
Costilla	290	45	130	13	1,690	\$ 2,653
Mineral	---	---	---	---	---	---
Rio Grande	290	45	130	12	1,560	2,449
Saguache	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total South Central District	580	45	260	12.5	3,250	\$ 5,102
Baca	2,600	20	520	5	2,600	\$ 4,108
Bent	1,140	28	320	10	3,200	5,088
Crowley	170	35	60	7	420	672
Custer	420	40	170	10	1,700	2,720
Fremont	420	40	170	10	1,700	2,720
Huerfano	80	40	30	8	240	382
Las Animas	600	40	240	5	1,200	1,896
Otero	180	40	70	10	700	1,120
Prowers	1,240	25	310	10	3,100	4,929
Pueblo	330	30	100	8	800	1,280
Total Southeast District	7,180	28	1,990	7.9	15,660	\$ 24,915
State Total	55,200	51	27,920	8.0	223,850	\$355,893

ALL SORGHUMS FOR GRAIN AND ALL SORGHUMS FOR FORAGE—1952

COUNTY	ALL SORGHUMS FOR GRAIN IRRIGATED AND NON-IRRIGATED				ALL SORGHUMS FOR FORAGE & SILAGE IRRIGATED AND NON-IRRIGATED			
	Acres Har- vested	Bushels Per Acre	Produc- tion Bushels	Value Dollars	Acres Har- vested	Tons Per Acre	Produc- tion Tons	Value Dollars
Chaffee	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Clear Creek	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Eagle	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Gilpin	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Grand	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Gunnison	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Jackson	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Lake	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Moffat	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Park	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Pitkin	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Rio Blanco	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Routt	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Summit	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Teller	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total Northwest District	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Boulder	30	10	300	\$ 459	370	1.6	592	\$ 15,451
Jefferson	30	7	210	321	170	1.6	272	7,113
Larimer	10	7	70	107	70	1.6	112	2,951
Logan	1,470	7	10,290	15,641	6,000	1.0	6,000	153,000
Morgan	1,030	7	7,210	10,959	7,270	1.1	7,997	203,124
Sedgwick	220	10	2,200	3,344	4,230	1.3	5,499	138,025
Weld	410	7	2,870	4,334	5,850	1.0	5,850	150,930
Total North Central and N. E. District	3,200	7.2	23,150	\$ 35,165	23,960	1.10	26,322	\$ 670,594
Adams	280	7	1,960	\$ 2,979	2,730	1.6	4,368	\$ 116,407
Arapahoe	710	7	4,970	7,505	6,360	1.2	7,632	205,682
Cheyenne	7,430	4	29,720	42,797	16,530	.8	13,224	341,179
Denver	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Douglas	---	---	---	---	420	1.3	546	14,769
Elbert	---	---	---	---	7,600	.9	6,840	176,472
El Paso	80	8	640	986	7,420	1.0	7,420	198,485
Kiowa	22,320	4	89,280	128,563	25,600	.9	23,040	585,216
Kit Carson	9,030	7	63,210	92,019	32,130	1.0	32,130	819,315
Lincoln	5,980	7	41,860	62,790	17,020	.9	15,318	396,736
Phillips	650	9	5,850	8,716	6,220	1.1	6,842	173,445
Washington	3,080	6	18,480	28,090	27,670	1.1	30,437	777,665
Yuma	7,550	7	52,850	79,804	30,190	1.1	33,209	863,434
Total East Central District	57,110	5.4	308,820	\$ 455,149	179,890	1.01	181,006	\$4,668,805
Archuleta	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Delta	---	---	---	---	40	1.2	48	\$ 1,154
Dolores	---	---	---	---	10	1.2	12	297
Garfield	---	---	---	---	10	1.3	13	315
Hinsdale	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
La Plata	---	---	---	---	20	1.2	24	588
Mesa	10	10	100	\$ 154	90	1.3	117	2,808
Montezuma	---	---	---	---	30	1.3	39	961
Montrose	---	---	---	---	20	1.3	26	627
Ouray	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
San Juan	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
San Miguel	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total West Central and S. W. District	10	10.0	100	\$ 154	220	1.27	279	\$ 6,750
Alamosa	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Conejos	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Costilla	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Mineral	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Rio Grande	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Saguache	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total South Central District	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Baca	22,600	7	158,200	\$ 229,390	47,740	.5	23,870	\$ 596,750
Bent	3,990	16	63,840	93,845	12,440	2.0	24,880	622,000
Crowley	1,570	12	18,840	27,883	6,270	1.5	9,405	237,006
Custer	40	10	400	600	180	1.6	288	7,272
Fremont	120	10	1,200	1,800	280	1.6	448	11,424
Huerfano	170	7	1,190	1,773	690	1.6	1,104	27,821
Las Animas	790	8	6,320	9,164	10,510	1.5	15,765	394,125
Otero	660	25	16,500	24,255	1,120	2.0	2,240	56,000
Prowers	19,650	14	275,100	404,397	29,340	2.0	58,680	1,472,868
Pueblo	2,040	11	22,440	33,660	4,530	1.1	4,983	128,561
Total Southeast District	51,630	10.9	564,030	\$ 826,767	113,100	1.25	141,663	\$3,553,827
State Total	111,950	8.0	896,100	\$1,317,235	317,170	1.10	349,270	\$8,899,976

HAY—1952

COUNTY	ALFALFA			WILD HAY			ALL HAY		
	Acres Har-vested	Tons Per Acre	Production Tons	Acres Har-vested	Tons Per Acre	Production Tons	Acres Har-vested	Production Tons	Total Value Dollars
Chaffee	5,000	1.8	9,000	3,330	1.0	3,330	11,300	16,490	\$ 428,740
Clear Creek				320	1.1	352	610	642	16,371
Eagle	9,060	2.4	21,744	2,000	1.3	2,600	20,980	41,204	947,692
Gilpin				860	.8	688	990	818	20,614
Grand	680	2.1	1,428	11,540	1.1	12,694	36,790	46,062	1,041,001
Gunnison	620	2.1	1,302	23,200	1.3	30,160	39,420	53,302	1,279,248
Jackson				91,760	.9	82,584	92,800	83,624	1,881,540
Lake				3,840	.7	2,688	4,940	3,898	93,552
Moffat	10,160	1.3	13,208	4,730	1.2	5,676	22,020	28,864	640,781
Park	50	1.9	95	40,360	1.0	40,360	46,420	45,265	1,172,364
Pitkin	3,200	2.4	7,680	1,410	1.3	1,833	12,540	23,783	570,792
Rio Blanco	9,080	1.9	17,252	8,300	1.7	14,110	26,640	45,252	1,018,170
Routt	7,120	1.4	9,968	5,500	1.1	6,050	41,500	53,558	1,172,920
Summit				1,160	1.1	1,276	7,480	12,656	303,744
Total Northwest District	90	1.7	153	1,850	1.1	2,035	3,940	4,188	113,076
Boulder	18,370	2.4	44,088	4,700	1.0	4,700	24,230	50,068	\$ 1,241,686
Jefferson	10,960	1.8	19,728	4,000	.9	3,600	16,360	24,728	660,238
Larimer	31,740	2.4	76,176	11,140	.9	10,026	45,280	89,082	2,316,132
Logan	21,700	2.7	58,590	10,820	1.1	11,902	38,690	76,662	1,763,226
Morgan	24,140	3.1	74,834	5,650	1.0	5,650	33,210	84,934	1,978,962
Sedgwick	4,260	2.6	11,076	5,230	1.1	5,753	11,740	19,079	429,278
Weld	98,770	2.9	286,433	23,460	.9	21,114	135,520	319,507	7,572,316
Total North Central and N. E. District	209,940	2.72	570,925	65,000	.97	62,745	305,030	664,060	\$15,961,838
Adams	19,320	2.9	56,028	2,000	.9	1,800	22,090	68,678	\$ 1,349,594
Arapahoe	7,290	2.1	15,309	3,390	1.0	3,390	11,910	19,929	498,225
Cheyenne	460	1.4	644	480	.5	240	5,940	4,884	122,100
Denver									
Douglas	8,510	1.4	11,914	2,810	.7	1,967	13,940	17,021	471,482
Elbert	9,100	1.1	10,010	5,050	.9	4,545	10,260	18,645	509,008
El Paso	8,400	1.1	9,240	3,240	.5	1,620	21,720	16,910	490,390
Kiowa	1,060	1.1	1,166	190	.5	95	2,680	2,261	58,560
Kit Carson	1,260	1.6	2,016	1,400	.7	980	5,160	4,996	122,402
Lincoln	1,100	2.2	2,420	3,000	.7	2,100	9,100	7,520	188,000
Phillips	2,460	1.7	4,182	840	1.0	640	4,100	5,722	129,889
Washington	5,630	2.1	11,865	8,350	.7	5,845	21,870	26,370	648,702
Yuma	15,380	1.9	29,222	5,570	.9	5,013	27,450	41,385	960,132
Total East Central District	79,990	1.93	154,016	36,120	.78	28,235	165,220	224,321	\$ 5,548,484
Archuleta	4,770	1.6	7,632	600	1.3	780	12,800	18,072	\$ 433,728
Delta	15,340	2.7	41,418	420	1.4	588	20,660	53,276	1,251,986
Dolores	500	2.1	1,050	90	1.2	108	780	1,428	35,986
Garfield	25,860	2.5	64,650	1,010	1.6	1,616	27,120	66,766	1,569,091
Hinsdale	230	1.8	414	2,320	1.4	3,248	3,450	4,922	124,034
La Plata	18,370	2.0	36,740	1,020	1.6	1,632	24,450	46,472	1,115,328
Mesa	38,150	3.3	125,895	1,060	1.4	1,484	41,000	130,599	3,173,556
Montezuma	9,400	2.3	21,620	700	1.3	910	10,700	23,490	587,250
Montrose	23,880	2.6	62,088	2,100	1.4	2,940	31,090	74,738	1,718,974
Ouray	1,710	1.8	3,078	1,200	1.3	1,560	9,460	13,158	317,108
San Juan									
San Miguel	1,600	2.1	3,360	300	1.2	360	4,900	7,620	182,880
Total West Central and S. W. District	139,810	2.63	367,945	10,820	1.41	15,226	186,410	440,541	\$10,509,831
Alamosa	12,700	1.8	22,860	19,330	1.0	19,330	39,170	52,190	\$ 1,278,655
Conejos	14,400	1.7	24,480	25,000	1.1	27,500	40,400	53,280	1,305,360
Costilla	5,160	1.8	9,288	1,980	1.0	1,980	8,140	12,268	294,432
Mineral				1,860	1.0	1,860	2,360	2,360	59,472
Rio Grande	24,140	1.6	38,624	14,150	1.1	15,565	45,400	66,279	1,623,836
Saguache	14,600	1.7	24,820	44,930	.9	40,437	63,580	71,257	1,760,048
Total S. Central District	71,000	1.69	120,072	107,250	.99	106,672	199,000	257,634	\$ 6,321,893
Baca	2,050	1.1	2,255	300	.5	150	2,650	2,555	\$ 66,174
Bent	26,500	2.2	58,300	320	1.0	320	27,140	59,070	1,476,750
Crowley	13,930	2.6	36,218	100	.7	70	14,360	36,618	933,759
Custer	3,120	2.2	6,864	11,340	1.1	12,474	15,630	21,098	569,646
Fremont	6,160	2.5	15,400	1,050	1.1	1,155	10,300	20,575	563,755
Huerfano	8,500	1.3	11,050	1,000	.9	900	10,110	12,870	315,315
Las Animas	7,900	1.3	10,270	3,040	.8	2,432	11,440	13,502	360,503
Otero	25,500	3.2	81,600	60	1.0	60	25,940	82,190	2,054,750
Prowers	34,630	2.9	100,427	200	1.0	200	35,330	100,977	2,524,425
Pueblo	14,730	2.5	36,825	1,110	.9	999	18,730	40,134	1,043,484
Total Southeast District	143,020	2.51	359,209	18,520	1.01	18,760	171,630	389,589	\$ 9,908,561
State Total	688,820	2.40	1,653,997	437,870	1.00	438,074	1,395,660	2,435,751	\$58,951,122

CORN, BARLEY, WHEAT—ACRES PLANTED AND PERCENT HARVESTED 1952

COUNTY	CORN		BARLEY		WINTER WHEAT		SPRING WHEAT	
	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested
Chaffee	---	---	600	90	240	96	240	92
Clear Creek	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Eagle	---	---	420	90	40	96	950	92
Gilpin	---	---	---	90	---	---	360	90
Grand	---	---	880	90	1,280	97	360	90
Gunnison	---	---	110	92	60	96	130	90
Jackson	---	---	200	90	840	97	60	90
Lake	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Moffat	180	100	980	93	35,680	98	9,000	85
Park	---	---	260	92	---	---	30	90
Pitkin	---	---	220	92	120	97	470	92
Rio Blanco	100	100	510	93	7,510	92	1,200	92
Routt	---	---	4,240	94	25,390	98	7,890	92
Summit	---	---	170	92	50	90	---	---
Teller	---	---	80	90	50	90	30	87
Total Northwest District	280	100	8,670	93	71,260	97	20,360	89
Boulder	8,020	100	15,850	93	16,120	95	740	89
Jefferson	1,620	100	3,640	91	10,720	92	540	82
Larimer	13,480	99	25,060	69	28,710	92	2,150	89
Logan	29,480	95	25,810	64	200,520	96	640	91
Morgan	33,120	95	22,630	71	85,260	83	2,270	70
Sedgewick	10,860	95	3,780	93	96,780	99	260	68
Weld	55,450	94	94,310	80	259,970	91	2,730	88
Total North Central and N. E. District	152,030	95	191,080	77	698,080	93	9,330	83
Adams	10,590	96	14,760	83	183,510	95	4,930	44
Arapahoe	5,260	99	9,100	91	79,280	95	1,360	44
Cheyenne	3,970	93	2,240	79	211,340	92	640	22
Denver	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Douglas	3,990	93	3,460	79	14,890	98	300	57
Elbert	16,970	88	9,550	80	90,890	97	2,000	77
El Paso	30,140	84	4,670	69	24,710	80	3,030	65
Kiowa	3,950	80	5,430	53	291,060	75	550	22
Kit Carson	11,580	80	11,710	69	355,000	91	590	22
Lincoln	17,890	80	15,370	62	182,020	96	3,440	25
Phillips	20,330	98	3,990	80	164,860	99	60	67
Washington	29,010	94	23,010	80	355,200	99	360	56
Yuma	78,270	96	4,040	81	215,200	98	220	59
Total East Central District	231,950	91	105,330	76	2,167,960	93	17,480	46
Archuleta	200	99	680	91	830	92	1,790	89
Delta	7,290	99	4,610	90	500	92	1,570	92
Dolores	100	99	650	93	41,720	98	510	90
Garfield	910	99	3,010	90	5,000	88	2,180	93
Hinsdale	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
La Plata	1,320	98	4,390	88	24,520	95	3,120	75
Mesa	8,340	99	2,830	88	1,700	93	720	90
Montezuma	1,430	99	2,040	93	30,000	98	1,930	86
Montrose	8,370	99	4,580	92	1,320	93	6,540	89
Ouray	60	99	480	92	610	93	300	90
San Juan	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
San Miguel	210	99	680	90	6,060	93	220	90
Total West Central and S. W. District	28,230	99	23,950	90	112,260	96	18,970	87
Alamosa	---	---	10,150	81	---	---	2,030	88
Conejos	---	---	14,270	85	---	---	3,930	86
Costilla	---	---	3,280	93	440	75	1,220	87
Manitou	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Rio Grande	---	---	12,600	82	---	---	5,350	80
Saguache	---	---	8,620	82	---	---	1,620	79
Total South Central District	---	---	48,920	83	440	75	14,150	83
Baca	4,810	75	16,500	8	363,620	24	730	22
Bent	9,710	89	4,920	49	34,540	41	690	45
Crowley	10,640	94	2,030	78	29,120	67	280	47
Custer	950	84	1,980	80	210	90	510	67
Fremont	1,550	84	1,300	80	870	90	30	64
Huerfano	510	90	4,670	75	6,440	70	1,430	47
Las Animas	2,740	86	6,480	40	30,000	36	1,940	36
Otero	15,710	94	5,090	89	3,160	50	210	72
Prowers	14,920	91	8,330	49	212,580	60	280	46
Pueblo	11,100	93	5,780	89	18,660	60	710	42
Total Southeast District	72,640	91	57,080	49	699,200	40	6,810	43
State Total	485,130	93	435,030	75	3,749,200	83	87,100	75

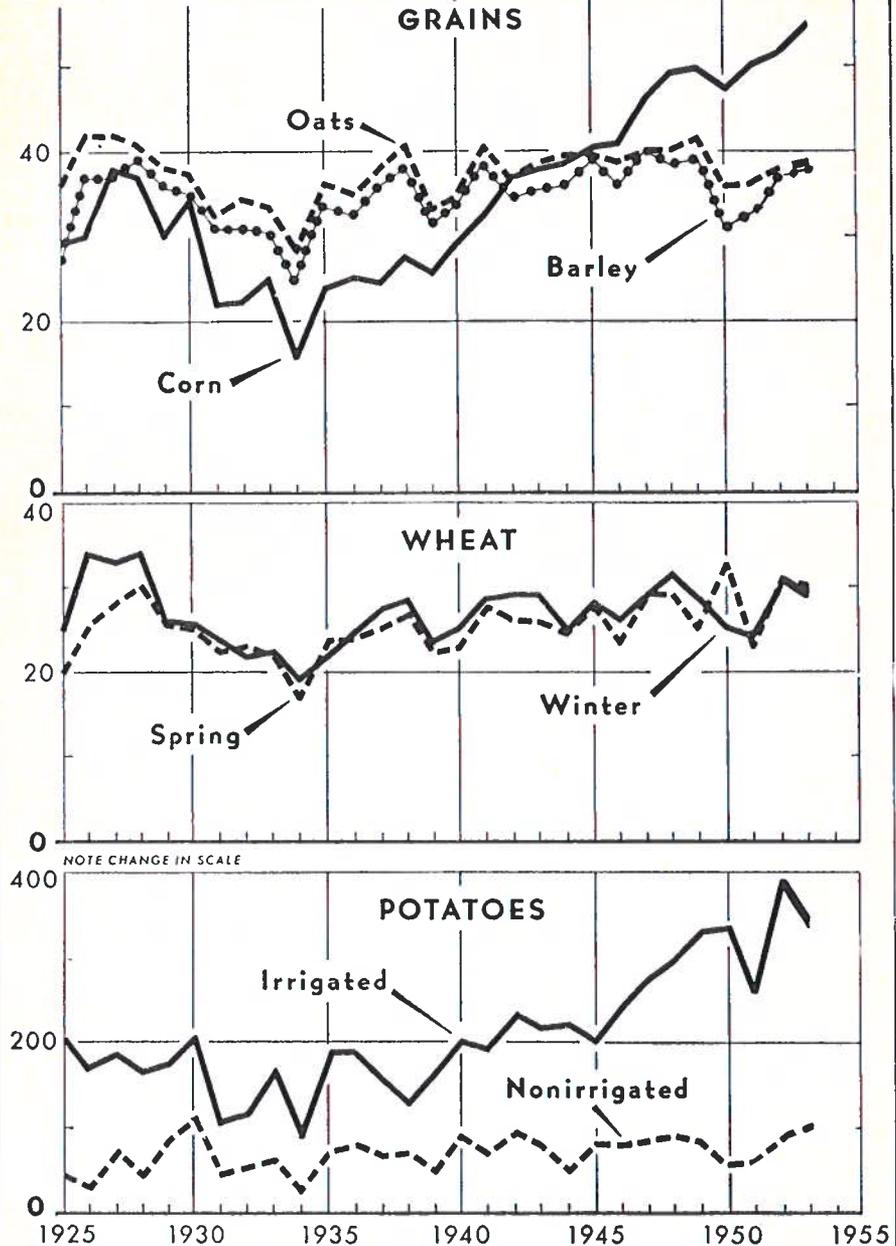
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BEANS, POTATOES, OATS, ALL SORGHUMS—ACRES PLANTED AND PERCENT HARVESTED 1952

COUNTY	BEANS (DRY)		POTATOES		OATS		ALL SORGHUMS	
	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested
Chaffee	---	---	40	100	940	78	---	---
Clear Creek	---	---	---	---	50	78	---	---
Eagle	---	---	460	99	2,080	79	---	---
Gilpin	---	---	10	100	---	---	---	---
Grand	---	---	10	100	1,900	88	---	---
Gunnison	---	---	10	100	140	91	---	---
Jackson	---	---	---	---	250	81	---	---
Lake	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Moffat	---	---	100	99	1,460	69	---	---
Park	---	---	30	100	370	67	---	---
Pitkin	---	---	160	100	770	97	---	---
Rio Blanco	---	---	20	100	1,580	74	---	---
Routt	---	---	230	99	11,710	83	---	---
Summit	---	---	---	---	180	78	---	---
Teller	---	---	50	99	250	67	---	---
Total Northwest District	---	---	1,120	100	21,680	81	---	---
Boulder	20	92	---	---	2,320	98	420	95
Jefferson	---	---	---	---	1,730	78	210	95
Larimer	1,380	92	200	99	5,510	88	80	95
Logan	2,510	83	100	99	10,910	65	7,860	95
Morgan	12,270	96	1,210	99	9,840	71	10,250	81
Sedgwick	2,360	92	1,470	99	4,180	77	4,680	95
Weld	44,990	96	10,800	98	19,510	68	6,730	93
Total North Central and N. E. District	63,530	95	13,780	98	54,000	72	30,230	90
Adams	670	96	70	100	4,630	67	3,170	95
Arapahoe	340	95	---	---	1,750	67	7,520	94
Cheyenne	60	93	---	---	660	64	37,440	64
Denver	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Douglas	60	95	---	---	3,260	76	440	95
Elbert	1,990	95	---	---	10,320	45	8,170	93
El Paso	13,660	95	---	---	13,080	40	10,000	75
Kiowa	---	---	---	---	190	64	90,320	53
Kit Carson	---	---	10	100	7,860	58	51,450	80
Lincoln	2,220	85	70	100	2,050	55	28,050	82
Phillips	---	---	---	---	3,840	69	7,810	88
Washington	1,680	96	40	100	13,480	69	35,340	87
Yuma	---	---	20	100	6,620	84	42,890	88
Total East Central District	20,680	93	210	100	67,240	60	322,700	73
Archuleta	---	---	10	100	1,760	78	---	---
Delta	980	96	40	100	6,430	77	40	95
Dolores	31,060	96	80	100	150	88	10	90
Garfield	---	---	210	99	3,490	90	10	95
Hinsdale	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
La Plata	3,700	96	80	99	8,860	84	20	90
Mesa	1,740	96	290	98	8,450	88	110	95
Montezuma	35,340	96	310	99	4,920	79	30	90
Montrose	5,530	96	920	99	9,080	87	20	95
Ouray	---	---	20	100	690	93	---	---
San Juan	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
San Miguel	4,110	95	20	100	420	88	---	---
Total West Central and S. W. District	82,460	96	1,980	99	44,250	84	240	96
Alamosa	---	---	4,500	98	12,470	60	---	---
Conejos	410	95	2,920	98	10,589	73	---	---
Costilla	90	95	1,740	98	3,380	78	---	---
Mineral	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Rio Grande	---	---	15,680	98	13,490	78	---	---
Saguache	---	---	8,540	98	15,480	82	---	---
Total South Central District	500	96	33,380	98	55,400	74	---	---
Baca	300	80	---	---	120	8	137,920	51
Bent	150	80	60	100	2,170	78	26,080	63
Crowley	2,280	82	---	---	1,230	70	13,750	57
Custer	---	---	20	100	3,300	90	280	80
Fremont	30	90	10	100	1,830	78	530	75
Huerfano	120	88	---	---	2,170	71	1,080	80
Las Animas	3,220	90	---	---	860	70	18,830	60
Otero	1,200	97	240	99	2,550	76	2,540	70
Prowers	200	80	170	99	3,260	83	76,550	64
Pueblo	9,530	97	---	---	2,940	77	7,820	84
Total Southeast District	17,030	93	500	100	20,520	78	285,380	58
State Total	184,200	95	50,970	98	263,090	73	638,550	67

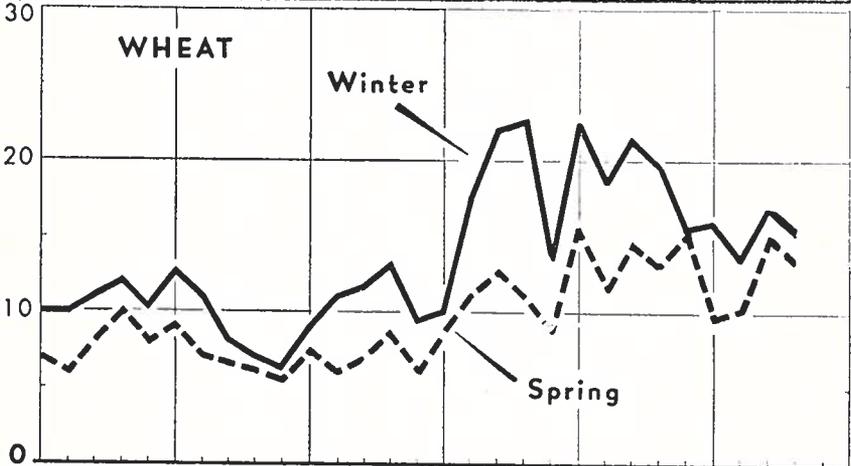
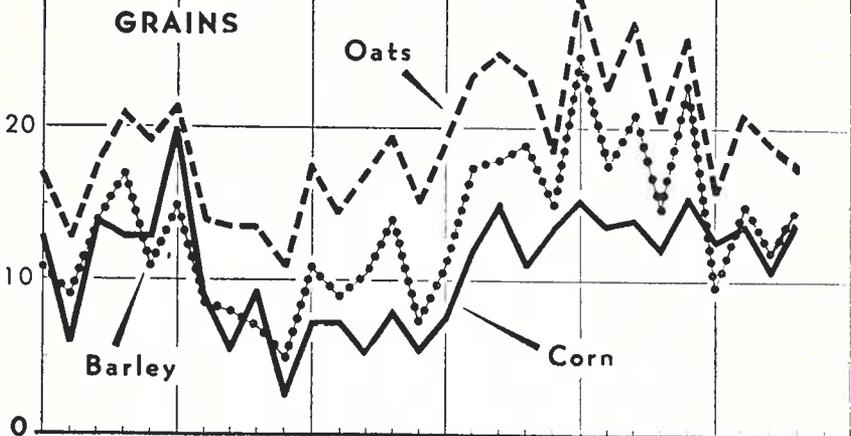
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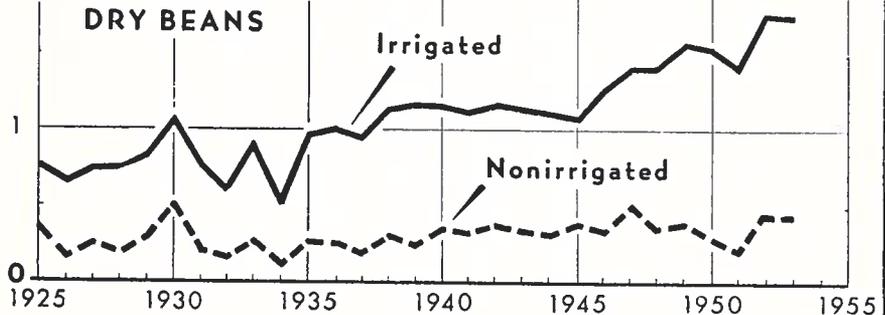


YIELD TRENDS OF GRAINS (NONIRRIGATED) AND DRY BEANS, COLORADO

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10 YEAR (1942-1951) AVERAGE YIELD PER ACRE HARVESTED (PRINCIPAL CROPS)

COUNTY	CORN		OATS		BARLEY		ALL SOR- GHUMS for Grain Irrig. & Non- Irrig. (Bu.)	ALFAL- FA HAY Irrig. & Non- Irrig. (Tons)
	Irrig- ated	Non- Irrig.	Irrig- ated	Non- Irrig.	Irrig- ated	Non- Irrig.		
	(Bu.)	(Bu.)	(Bu.)	(Bu.)	(Bu.)	(Bu.)		
Chaffee	--	--	36.1	--	34.6	--	--	1.8
Clear Creek	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1.6
Eagle	--	--	53.4	--	44.0	25.0	--	1.9
Gilpin	--	--	--	26.9	--	--	--	--
Grand	--	--	34.6	29.6	34.3	22.4	--	1.2
Gunnison	--	--	31.7	23.1	34.6	23.4	--	1.9
Jackson	--	--	--	26.2	34.1	26.2	--	--
Lake	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Moffat	31.0	13.9	42.9	28.9	40.2	21.9	--	1.4
Park	--	--	32.0	24.3	--	17.7	--	1.3
Pitkin	--	--	45.5	27.8	36.5	20.4	--	1.8
Rio Blanco	30.2	--	48.8	31.0	41.7	26.6	--	1.6
Routt	--	--	39.2	31.3	38.0	25.9	--	1.4
Summit	--	--	37.3	28.9	35.0	19.1	--	1.2
Teller	--	--	34.7	27.2	33.3	24.1	--	1.4
Total Northwest District	31.0	13.9	43.4	30.2	37.4	24.7	--	1.64
Boulder	43.8	18.2	39.5	26.0	40.1	24.6	18.3	2.3
Jefferson	36.7	16.6	37.0	26.0	35.9	24.2	10.0	2.1
Larimer	41.9	18.2	44.3	22.9	40.9	22.9	9.9	2.2
Logan	41.1	13.4	39.4	23.7	33.9	17.6	10.4	2.5
Morgan	48.4	12.3	41.5	18.0	38.2	14.2	9.7	2.7
Sedgwick	45.2	17.6	41.2	28.7	30.5	22.8	12.0	2.3
Weld	45.9	13.6	42.4	21.3	40.4	18.8	10.3	2.5
Total N. Central & N. E. Districts	44.9	14.1	41.6	23.1	39.2	18.7	10.2	2.45
Adams	41.4	13.9	43.1	21.5	37.1	20.7	9.3	2.4
Arapahoe	41.6	13.7	45.0	22.4	38.7	18.2	11.1	2.2
Cheyenne	--	14.0	--	19.1	--	12.8	11.1	1.4
Denver	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Douglas	38.3	13.6	36.9	22.9	33.6	19.9	9.5	1.8
Elbert	--	10.6	--	17.7	--	14.1	7.6	1.6
El Paso	33.8	9.4	37.0	17.7	33.5	12.7	8.7	1.9
Kiowa	--	16.4	--	19.7	--	13.5	11.3	1.3
Kit Carson	42.3	13.6	--	20.5	--	16.2	12.3	1.7
Lincoln	--	13.1	--	15.6	--	14.5	8.3	1.9
Phillips	40.5	15.7	39.9	23.5	30.8	22.4	10.6	2.3
Washington	45.6	12.6	43.2	21.6	36.3	15.1	10.2	2.5
Yuma	41.2	14.3	39.3	22.5	32.5	18.4	11.1	1.9
Total East Central District	40.6	13.3	42.4	20.5	36.8	16.6	11.3	2.04
Archuleta	36.1	14.7	38.2	28.2	34.7	22.5	--	1.9
Delta	44.0	16.3	41.4	29.4	41.3	19.9	16.0	2.5
Dolores	--	15.3	--	28.6	--	16.8	--	1.4
Garfield	39.1	15.5	44.9	27.0	40.6	22.3	--	2.0
Hinsdale	--	--	--	--	--	18.5	--	1.8
La Plata	37.3	15.4	37.0	27.0	33.2	19.1	12.5	1.8
Mesa	44.6	14.4	40.1	26.9	34.3	20.5	17.1	2.4
Montezuma	35.5	16.0	39.5	27.9	33.3	18.0	13.5	1.8
Montrose	39.7	15.2	37.2	28.6	36.3	20.3	12.5	2.0
Ouray	37.6	15.0	38.5	28.3	35.3	19.1	--	1.8
San Juan	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
San Miguel	36.1	15.9	36.2	27.8	33.1	19.7	--	1.6
Total W. Central & S. W. Districts	42.2	15.1	39.5	27.7	37.3	19.4	16.3	2.12
Alamosa	26.8	--	30.9	--	25.3	--	--	1.6
Conejos	28.4	--	37.3	--	33.3	--	--	1.5
Costilla	28.8	--	29.8	--	27.4	--	--	1.4
Mineral	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1.5
Rio Grande	28.0	--	38.2	--	32.0	--	--	1.6
Saguache	25.6	--	33.2	--	27.9	--	--	1.4
Total South Central District	28.1	--	34.6	--	30.0	--	--	1.51
Baca	34.6	15.1	30.5	21.0	25.1	18.7	13.9	1.3
Bent	42.2	14.4	36.3	21.5	29.5	16.6	24.4	2.3
Crowley	40.1	14.1	31.1	19.1	24.0	15.3	15.2	2.4
Custer	35.6	15.1	30.8	22.2	24.4	17.1	11.5	1.8
Fremont	38.0	14.2	31.4	20.0	28.2	16.5	14.4	2.2
Huerfano	32.3	13.4	33.8	20.5	31.0	19.0	9.9	1.5
Las Animas	31.4	12.0	32.1	18.3	27.4	16.4	11.5	1.7
Otero	47.1	11.2	40.0	21.9	30.3	14.8	25.3	2.6
Prowers	43.0	16.0	36.2	21.8	27.3	17.2	21.7	2.5
Pueblo	44.5	13.9	40.0	22.6	34.2	20.3	11.0	2.5
Total Southeast District	43.2	14.1	34.7	21.1	28.9	17.3	17.5	2.31
State Total	43.7	13.5	38.7	22.9	36.2	17.3	14.3	2.15

10 YEAR (1942-1951) AVERAGE YIELD PER ACRE HARVESTED (PRINCIPAL CROPS)

COUNTY	WINTER WHEAT		SPRING WHEAT		POTA-TOES	DRY BEANS		SUGAR BEETS
	Irrigated (Bu.)	Non-Irrig. (Bu.)	Irrigated (Bu.)	Non-Irrig. (Bu.)	Irrigated (Bu.)	Irrigated (Lbs.)	Non-Irrig. (Lbs.)	Irrig. (Tons)
Chaffee	26.0	20.0	22.8	--	119.7	---	---	--
Clear Creek	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Eagle	28.0	22.7	36.0	19.5	249.1	---	---	---
Gilpin	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Grand	25.9	19.9	31.0	15.4	90.7	---	---	---
Gunnison	25.5	22.0	31.7	--	122.1	---	---	---
Jackson	23.3	19.0	29.9	--	---	---	---	---
Lake	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Moffat	25.8	19.8	30.9	14.4	98.3	---	---	---
Park	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Pitkin	25.1	16.7	33.1	15.4	85.4	---	---	---
Rio Blanco	25.6	20.3	31.8	19.5	139.9	---	---	---
Routt	26.1	24.0	27.6	19.1	131.0	---	---	---
Summit	---	19.1	---	16.7	92.8	---	---	---
Teller	---	18.8	---	14.4	---	---	---	---
Total Northwest District	25.9	21.6	31.4	17.5	211.1	---	---	---
Boulder	27.7	23.2	26.6	15.9	---	1,086	367	13.7
Jefferson	28.1	23.7	25.7	15.4	---	898	296	9.4
Larimer	29.0	21.0	28.4	13.5	250.1	1,215	398	13.1
Logan	24.3	18.9	22.3	10.9	184.0	1,013	363	12.2
Morgan	28.3	16.6	22.7	9.3	286.5	1,336	350	14.2
Sedgwick	26.3	21.3	22.8	11.8	247.3	1,202	383	13.2
Weld	28.9	19.4	26.6	11.9	260.8	1,512	368	14.8
Total N. Central & N. E. Districts	28.4	19.8	26.8	11.6	261.4	1,436	372	14.2
Adams	29.6	20.8	28.4	12.3	188.1	1,038	286	13.6
Arapahoe	30.3	19.2	28.8	12.1	---	957	258	10.5
Cheyenne	---	14.4	---	8.4	---	---	283	---
Denver	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Douglas	29.0	19.5	26.4	13.2	---	1,076	286	12.4
Elbert	---	15.6	---	9.6	---	---	283	---
El Paso	24.9	15.0	21.5	8.5	143.0	1,006	270	9.8
Kiowa	---	15.3	---	8.3	---	---	287	---
Kit Carson	---	18.2	---	9.6	---	---	298	---
Lincoln	---	17.3	---	8.8	---	932	281	---
Phillips	26.0	20.5	---	10.6	---	---	310	7.4
Washington	28.4	16.8	25.0	9.2	222.9	1,147	305	13.6
Yuma	27.0	20.4	---	9.6	143.7	1,040	288	11.6
Total East Central District	29.6	18.1	28.1	10.4	194.6	1,075	274	13.2
Archuleta	28.0	18.9	26.4	15.0	149.8	1,054	410	---
Delta	29.1	18.1	29.2	14.8	200.6	1,234	409	12.9
Dolores	30.0	15.0	26.7	11.5	---	---	436	---
Garfield	26.6	18.1	31.2	16.2	254.4	1,016	361	12.8
Hinsdale	---	---	26.0	---	---	---	---	---
La Plata	25.7	14.2	25.5	14.3	182.6	976	346	---
Mesa	28.3	14.6	27.0	13.4	211.5	1,145	382	14.0
Montezuma	25.1	14.2	26.4	12.9	189.2	1,012	433	---
Montrose	29.6	16.0	31.7	13.6	260.8	1,325	317	12.5
Ouray	24.5	16.2	29.0	13.1	173.0	1,110	---	12.8
San Juan	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
San Miguel	26.8	15.9	25.5	12.0	165.7	1,033	361	---
Total W. Central & S. W. Districts	26.6	14.8	29.2	14.0	235.3	1,152	428	13.2
Alamosa	23.2	---	22.7	---	265.6	---	---	6.4
Conejos	24.9	---	24.6	---	278.2	713	---	6.5
Costilla	22.7	---	18.7	---	260.6	648	---	5.6
Mineral	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Rio Grande	24.1	---	26.2	---	295.5	694	---	5.9
Saguache	25.0	---	23.0	---	202.9	---	---	5.4
Total South Central District	22.8	--	24.0	--	273.0	672	---	6.1
Baca	23.6	15.6	---	9.6	---	---	293	---
Bent	26.4	15.3	22.7	11.4	156.9	813	307	11.1
Crowley	25.4	14.7	21.6	---	118.9	773	313	11.2
Custer	21.6	16.2	19.6	10.7	130.4	---	331	---
Fremont	22.9	14.1	22.8	11.8	114.1	756	331	11.4
Huerfano	21.9	13.1	19.5	10.0	116.3	738	290	9.0
Las Animas	22.0	12.3	18.7	9.6	130.2	726	295	8.8
Otero	26.5	12.3	22.5	9.8	215.2	921	293	11.8
Prowers	25.8	16.6	22.3	10.0	190.9	788	317	11.0
Pueblo	24.4	13.9	23.5	11.1	172.2	964	278	12.5
Total Southeast District	25.5	15.5	21.2	9.9	187.4	869	286	11.5
State Total	27.4	18.5	26.8	12.3	262.9	1,296	337	13.6

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IRRIGATED—YIELDS PER HARVESTED ACRE, 1950-1951

COUNTY	CORN Bushels		OATS Bushels		BARLEY Bushels		POTATOES Bushels		DRY BEANS Pounds	
	1950	1951	1950	1951	1950	1951	1950	1951	1950	1951
Chaffee	--	--	35	35	32	35	200	104	---	---
Clear Creek	--	--	35	37	--	--	---	---	---	---
Eagle	--	--	50	62	40	49	309	300	---	---
Gilpin	--	--	--	--	--	--	---	---	---	---
Grand	--	--	30	32	36	34	126	160	---	---
Gunnison	--	--	29	31	36	34	138	125	---	---
Jackson	--	--	--	--	32	31	---	---	---	---
Lake	--	--	--	--	--	--	---	---	---	---
Moffat	33	32	48	42	40	39	128	126	---	---
Park	--	--	30	39	--	--	80	---	---	---
Pitkin	--	--	50	62	36	39	298	250	---	---
Rio Blanco	32	32	47	57	40	38	281	200	---	---
Routt	--	--	35	37	36	36	183	105	---	---
Summit	--	--	35	37	36	35	96	---	---	---
Teller	--	--	--	--	35	34	---	---	---	---
Total Northwest District	32.9	32.0	43.3	48.9	35.5	38.2	284	237	---	---
Boulder	43	58	37	47	35	41	---	---	1,510	1,300
Jefferson	37	39	35	33	29	38	---	---	1,340	---
Larimer	48	48	42	40	35	43	363	240	1,510	1,160
Logan	43	46	35	37	18	28	264	229	1,370	1,130
Morgan	50	53	38	41	26	38	399	341	1,450	1,320
Sedgwick	54	47	39	42	20	26	386	200	1,700	1,350
Weld	50	59	43	44	39	42	395	241	1,880	1,710
Total North Central and Northeast Districts	48.1	53.5	39.7	41.6	33.6	39.6	393	246	1,738	1,567
Adams	47	47	41	40	31	28	275	240	1,060	590
Arapahoe	46	44	39	40	32	28	---	---	930	700
Cheyenne	--	--	--	--	--	--	---	---	---	---
Denver	--	--	--	--	--	--	---	---	---	---
Douglas	47	45	33	35	30	29	---	---	1,330	---
Elbert	--	--	--	--	--	--	---	---	---	---
El Paso	46	45	35	35	31	30	---	---	1,300	1,100
Kiowa	--	--	--	--	--	--	---	---	---	---
Kit Carson	42	38	38	37	--	29	166	---	1,040	---
Lincoln	--	--	--	--	31	30	---	---	1,060	840
Phillips	47	45	35	37	28	--	---	---	---	---
Washington	51	58	32	42	30	32	300	270	1,450	1,220
Yuma	47	49	32	--	28	28	200	130	---	---
Total East Central District	47.3	48.7	37.9	39.9	31.0	28.6	267	230	1,269	957
Archuleta	46	46	35	37	33	34	203	180	1,210	---
Delta	49	48	38	41	37	42	298	210	1,350	1,340
Dolores	--	--	--	42	--	--	---	---	---	---
Garfield	46	44	49	54	40	46	312	238	1,000	---
Hinsdale	--	--	--	--	--	--	---	---	---	---
La Plata	43	47	29	34	27	29	273	180	980	700
Mesa	51	57	40	46	30	29	346	293	1,400	1,030
Montezuma	44	42	42	44	34	31	303	180	1,170	770
Montrose	46	42	35	39	37	34	365	306	1,180	1,280
Ouray	47	45	35	38	31	29	208	125	1,160	---
San Juan	--	--	--	--	--	--	---	---	---	---
San Miguel	46	44	36	35	30	29	244	160	1,160	950
Total West Central and Southwest Districts	48.3	49.4	37.8	41.8	35.0	36.4	337	262	1,215	988
Alamosa	--	--	24	24	24	12	305	243	---	---
Conejos	--	--	37	26	34	15	330	302	650	430
Costilla	--	--	27	17	25	20	334	254	600	440
Mineral	--	--	--	--	--	--	---	---	---	---
Rio Grande	--	--	36	29	32	22	311	269	---	---
Saguache	--	--	26	20	20	13	266	254	---	---
Total South Central District	---	---	30.6	24.2	28.4	16.0	308	266	647	431
Baca	39	38	25	27	18	16	---	---	---	---
Bent	44	46	25	33	17	19	237	168	700	540
Crowley	40	38	20	23	12	17	---	---	700	680
Custer	40	38	25	27	12	17	227	---	---	---
Fremont	40	48	30	22	13	20	---	---	840	620
Huerfano	35	33	20	24	11	20	---	---	740	600
Las Animas	35	33	27	29	23	19	220	---	610	400
Otero	48	49	38	30	20	17	313	320	840	820
Prowers	45	38	23	30	14	13	310	233	840	620
Pueblo	45	56	40	42	27	34	244	190	980	1,140
Total Southeast District	44.6	44.7	28.8	30.1	17.4	20.1	286	263	871	922
State Total	47.1	50.0	35.9	36.0	31.0	33.0	335	259	1,522	1,401

IRRIGATED—YIELDS PER HARVESTED ACRE, 1950-1951

COUNTY	WINTER WHEAT Bushels		SPRING WHEAT Bushels		SUGAR BEETS Tons		ALFALFA HAY Tons ¹		WILD HAY Tons ²	
	1950	1951	1950	1951	1950	1951	1950	1951	1950	1951
Chaffee	23	24	21	23	---	---	1.8	2.0	.8	.6
Clear Creek	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1.1	.6
Eagle	25	26	33	43	---	---	2.1	2.0	1.1	1.2
Gilpin	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	.7	.6
Grand	24	25	32	31	---	---	1.2	1.5	1.0	1.1
Gunnison	24	25	32	31	---	---	1.7	2.0	1.1	.9
Jackson	23	24	31	31	---	---	---	---	.8	.8
Lake	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	.5	.6
Moffat	23	24	34	29	---	---	1.3	1.0	1.4	.9
Park	---	---	---	---	---	---	1.1	.9	.7	.6
Pitkin	24	25	35	36	---	---	1.6	1.8	1.2	1.0
Rio Blanco	15	26	34	35	---	---	1.5	1.5	1.8	1.1
Routt	23	24	31	31	---	---	1.3	1.6	1.2	1.3
Summit	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1.0	.9
Teller	---	---	---	---	---	---	1.4	1.4	.9	.4
Total Northwest District	22.2	24.6	31.4	36.7	---	---	1.56	1.60	.91	.81
Boulder	25	25	23	26	14.2	16.7	2.4	2.5	1.3	1.4
Jefferson	25	31	24	26	10.1	10.6	1.5	2.0	1.2	1.3
Larimer	28	29	25	22	14.8	14.5	2.3	2.4	.9	1.6
Logan	25	21	20	19	14.2	12.9	2.6	2.6	1.2	1.1
Morgan	28	31	16	16	16.5	16.8	2.8	2.9	1.1	1.0
Sedgwick	26	24	20	20	14.5	12.9	2.5	2.0	1.2	1.0
Weld	27	25	22	21	16.1	16.7	2.6	2.8	1.0	1.1
Total North Central and Northeast Districts	26.6	26.8	22.7	21.8	15.8	16.1	2.50	2.65	1.08	1.20
Adams	26	24	25	21	14.1	15.3	2.3	2.5	.9	1.1
Arapahoe	26	27	20	21	12.8	9.6	2.0	2.0	.8	1.1
Cheyenne	---	---	---	---	---	---	1.0	1.0	.7	.7
Denver	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Douglas	25	25	20	20	16.7	---	1.2	1.5	.8	.7
Elbert	---	---	---	---	---	---	1.5	1.4	.9	.9
El Paso	23	23	20	20	8.5	---	1.7	1.0	.8	.8
Kiowa	---	---	---	---	---	---	1.0	1.0	.5	.6
Kit Carson	---	---	---	---	---	---	1.6	1.6	.9	1.1
Lincoln	---	---	---	---	---	---	2.0	2.0	.8	1.0
Phillips	23	---	---	---	---	---	1.3	1.8	.8	.8
Washington	24	32	20	24	15.2	16.3	2.2	2.3	.9	1.1
Yuma	23	27	---	---	10.3	---	1.8	1.5	.9	1.1
Total East Central District	25.9	24.9	24.4	21.0	14.0	15.5	1.84	1.78	.85	.99
Archuleta	26	26	24	21	---	---	1.7	1.0	1.1	.8
Delta	26	33	26	33	13.2	13.0	2.6	2.6	1.3	1.6
Dolores	---	---	27	---	---	---	1.0	1.0	.9	1.1
Garfield	25	34	31	31	12.2	13.3	1.9	2.0	1.1	1.1
Hinsdale	---	---	---	---	---	---	1.9	2.0	1.2	.9
La Plata	23	21	24	24	---	---	1.7	1.4	1.3	.7
Mesa	30	31	25	31	15.7	17.2	2.5	2.8	1.1	1.6
Montezuma	24	21	26	19	---	---	1.7	1.4	1.2	1.1
Montrose	27	26	33	34	12.8	12.2	1.9	2.2	.9	1.1
Ouray	24	25	27	31	---	---	1.8	2.0	1.1	1.1
San Juan	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
San Miguel	25	26	24	21	---	---	1.5	1.8	1.1	1.1
Total West Central and Southwest Districts	24.5	23.9	28.9	29.6	14.0	14.5	2.07	2.15	1.12	1.10
Alamosa	16	---	21	18	5.9	6.7	1.5	1.2	.7	.7
Conejos	20	---	22	16	3.4	6.4	1.4	1.2	.8	.8
Costilla	16	14	16	11	4.8	4.1	1.1	.9	.9	.7
Mineral	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1.0	1.0
Rio Grande	18	14	22	21	5.2	4.8	1.3	1.1	1.1	.8
Saguache	17	---	20	16	3.2	1.8	1.3	.9	.7	.4
Total South Central District	17.1	14.0	21.1	17.8	4.5	5.6	1.34	1.09	.78	.62
Baca	17	16	---	---	---	---	1.3	1.5	.7	1.0
Bent	18	21	18	18	10.3	12.0	2.3	2.6	1.3	1.1
Crowley	20	21	18	17	10.4	11.2	2.4	2.6	.9	.9
Custer	17	16	12	11	---	---	1.9	2.0	1.1	.7
Fremont	20	17	16	15	9.2	17.1	2.1	2.0	1.1	1.0
Huerfano	20	15	11	11	9.1	---	1.0	1.4	1.2	1.1
Las Animas	22	18	14	11	9.4	10.2	1.0	1.3	.9	1.1
Otero	20	22	21	20	10.8	11.5	2.4	2.9	.8	1.1
Prowers	21	18	21	20	11.6	8.4	2.6	2.7	1.2	1.2
Pueblo	20	22	21	20	12.8	13.9	2.8	2.8	1.0	1.1
Total Southeast District	19.8	19.6	16.8	15.2	11.3	11.2	2.26	2.50	1.06	.89
State Total	24.0	24.0	24.9	23.0	14.9	15.3	2.10	2.20	.90	.85

¹ About 90 percent of alfalfa hay acreage is irrigated.² About 85 percent of wild hay acreage is irrigated.

NON-IRRIGATED—YIELDS PER HARVESTED ACRE, 1950-1951

COUNTY	CORN Bushels		WINTER WHEAT Bushels		SPRING WHEAT Bushels		OATS Bushels		BARLEY Bushels		DRY BEANS Pounds		ALL SOR- GHUMS FOR GRAIN Bushels ¹			
	1950	1951	1950	1951	1950	1951	1950	1951	1950	1951	1950	1951	1950	1951		
	Chaffee	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	
Clear Creek	---	---	---	---	19	18	---	---	17	20	---	---	---	---		
Eagle	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
Gilpin	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
Grand	---	---	17	16	15	14	26	30	11	16	---	---	---	---		
Gunnison	---	---	---	---	---	---	20	24	17	20	---	---	---	---		
Jackson	---	---	17	16	---	---	26	30	18	21	---	---	---	---		
Lake	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---		
Moffat	14	15	20	17	17	13	26	27	18	21	---	---	---	---		
Park	---	---	---	---	15	14	20	23	11	14	---	---	---	---		
Pitkin	---	---	15	13	16	15	22	30	13	16	---	---	---	---		
Rio Blanco	13	14	19	17	15	16	27	30	20	22	---	---	---	---		
Routt	13	---	19	22	16	18	26	32	20	22	---	---	---	---		
Summit	---	---	16	15	---	---	26	29	13	17	---	---	---	---		
Teller	---	---	16	15	16	15	26	29	18	20	---	---	---	---		
Total Northwest District.	13.6	14.9	19.4	19.5	16.4	16.0	25.9	31.2	18.6	21.0	---	---	---	---		
Boulder	18	22	22	21	11	10	19	28	18	23	330	---	10	10		
Jefferson	15	15	24	19	10	9	16	19	17	25	---	---	10	10		
Larimer	20	25	21	19	10	9	20	23	16	21	390	---	380	10	11	
Logan	14	12	22	19	8	9	11	25	7	22	340	---	300	11	10	
Morgan	10	14	18	14	6	5	8	15	8	12	320	---	230	10	10	
Sedgwick	21	22	25	16	9	8	21	24	15	21	390	---	330	10	10	
Weld	13	16	20	15	9	7	17	17	14	15	310	---	450	9	11	
Total North Central and Northeast Districts	13.9	15.4	21.5	16.7	8.6	7.2	14.7	20.2	12.7	17.5	319	388	10.1	10.1		
Adams	12	13	20	15	9	6	18	16	11	13	330	---	300	6	7	
Arapahoe	10	14	16	15	8	6	17	19	8	13	200	---	200	6	8	
Cheyenne	12	14	9	7	7	5	10	22	6	10	230	---	200	5	6	
Denver	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	
Douglas	9	10	15	18	10	9	22	19	10	20	330	---	250	5	---	
Elbert	8	9	12	10	6	4	13	11	5	8	220	---	130	4	---	
El Paso	6	9	11	11	5	4	11	12	5	8	230	---	200	5	---	
Kiowa	17	14	9	9	7	7	12	21	5	14	---	---	4	5	6	
Kit Carson	12	10	12	12	6	9	7	23	5	14	250	---	8	6	6	
Lincoln	8	14	12	12	7	6	7	16	4	11	250	---	250	4	5	6
Phillips	15	16	23	21	7	6	7	24	6	22	---	---	7	10	---	
Washington	11	13	18	16	6	9	12	24	5	12	240	---	200	8	7	
Yuma	15	15	18	19	7	9	12	25	6	21	220	---	6	8	8	
Total E. Central District.	12.2	13.3	15.4	14.1	7.4	6.0	12.3	19.4	6.6	13.2	231	198	5.9	5.6		
Archuleta	14	14	15	13	12	8	23	21	13	17	---	---	---	---	---	
Delta	19	19	15	13	11	9	23	26	12	17	370	---	250	15	15	
Dolores	15	14	12	9	9	6	25	30	6	11	330	---	250	---	---	
Garfield	15	15	10	10	12	16	22	23	9	15	---	---	---	---	---	
Hinsdale	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	
La Plata	15	16	9	6	8	10	19	17	8	15	270	---	130	---	---	
Mesa	14	14	11	9	10	8	19	25	9	12	330	---	200	15	15	
Montezuma	16	15	12	7	12	5	21	26	12	10	350	---	170	---	---	
Montrose	15	15	10	10	10	9	22	27	6	11	230	---	180	---	---	
Ouray	15	15	12	11	11	10	22	27	7	11	---	---	---	---	---	
San Juan	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	
San Miguel	16	16	10	11	8	5	21	26	8	12	---	---	160	---	---	
Total West Central and and Southwest Districts	15.3	15.1	11.4	8.1	10.2	8.0	21.3	22.4	8.9	12.5	338	205	15.0	15.0		
Alamosa	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	
Conejos	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	
Costilla	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	
Mineral	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	
Rio Grande	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	
Saguache	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	
Total S. Central District.	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	
Baca	13	14	5	7	5	4	15	16	10	10	200	---	160	12	10	
Bent	14	14	7	6	6	5	15	16	6	11	250	---	200	22	24	
Crowley	13	14	7	7	5	4	15	13	6	9	210	---	200	16	14	
Custer	14	14	---	8	7	6	14	15	6	11	220	---	16	16	16	
Fremont	14	17	9	8	8	---	14	16	8	12	210	---	200	16	16	
Huerfano	8	8	7	5	4	5	11	12	4	12	200	---	180	12	11	
Las Animas	10	7	7	5	6	4	12	13	7	9	200	---	160	12	9	
Otero	8	8	7	5	6	5	15	16	7	10	220	---	200	23	28	
Prowers	16	11	6	5	6	5	13	13	8	10	270	---	260	16	23	
Pueblo	13	14	10	8	7	5	15	13	10	10	210	---	210	13	11	
Total Southeast District.	12.5	12.0	5.9	6.2	5.7	4.5	13.4	13.7	8.4	10.2	208	201	14.6	15.1		
State Total	12.5	13.5	15.8	13.7	10.1	10.0	15.8	21.0	9.5	15.0	290	205	12.0	12.0		

¹ Yields given here are averages from both irrigated and non-irrigated land.

CORN AND BARLEY, IRRIGATED AND NON-IRRIGATED—1953 (Preliminary)
(Principal Producing Counties)

COUNTY	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels
CORN					
Boulder	8,740	98	8,560	51	462,240
Jefferson	1,700	98	1,670	41	68,470
Larimer	14,150	97	13,730	49	672,770
Logan	28,300	97	27,450	36	988,200
Morgan	30,800	98	30,180	59	1,780,620
Sedgwick	11,510	98	11,280	35	394,800
Weld	52,120	97	50,560	56	2,831,360
Adams	10,480	96	10,060	44	442,640
Arapahoe	5,520	98	5,410	18	97,380
Cheyenne	2,140	89	1,900	14	26,600
Douglas	4,150	94	3,900	15	58,500
Elbert	17,650	97	17,120	12	205,140
El Paso	27,130	94	25,500	12	306,000
Kiowa	3,910	89	3,480	15	52,200
Kit Carson	9,030	88	7,950	12	95,400
Lincoln	9,480	93	8,820	14	123,480
Phillips	11,790	98	11,550	21	242,550
Washington	17,120	93	15,920	17	270,640
Yuma	70,440	95	66,920	13	869,960
Delta	8,240	99	8,160	49	399,840
Garfield	1,040	99	1,020	38	39,140
La Plata	1,030	99	1,020	37	37,740
Mesa	8,510	99	8,420	56	471,520
Montezuma	1,560	99	1,540	38	58,520
Montrose	6,530	98	6,400	54	345,600
Baca	2,120	75	1,590	14	22,260
Bent	4,560	90	4,100	38	155,800
Crowley	10,530	93	9,790	28	274,120
Fremont	990	95	940	34	31,960
Las Animas	2,710	90	2,440	13	31,720
Otero	13,510	88	11,890	44	523,160
Prowers	14,920	90	13,430	40	537,200
Pueblo	7,770	88	6,840	40	273,600
State Total	422,070	95.1	401,390	33.0	13,232,770
BARLEY					
Grand	920	92	850	21	17,850
Routt	5,090	92	4,680	30	140,400
Boulder	14,580	94	13,710	31	425,010
Jefferson	3,530	94	3,320	33	109,560
Larimer	26,560	90	23,900	33	788,700
Logan	36,130	74	26,740	28	748,720
Morgan	30,550	73	22,300	30	669,000
Sedgwick	5,290	52	2,750	28	77,000
Weld	119,770	85	101,800	34	3,461,200
Adams	20,660	77	15,910	29	461,390
Arapahoe	5,460	85	4,640	15	69,600
Cheyenne	2,130	47	1,000	7	7,000
Douglas	3,290	89	2,930	14	41,020
Elbert	7,640	69	5,270	9	47,430
El Paso	2,340	60	1,400	8	11,200
Kit Carson	16,390	57	9,340	8	74,720
Lincoln	18,720	40	7,490	8	59,920
Phillips	5,390	40	2,160	15	32,400
Washington	25,310	69	17,460	12	209,520
Yuma	4,040	72	2,910	15	43,650
Delta	3,230	94	3,040	44	133,760
Dolores	650	92	600	20	12,000
Garfield	3,460	90	3,110	43	133,730
La Plata	3,030	62	1,880	32	60,160
Mesa	1,950	92	1,790	38	68,020
Montezuma	2,650	92	2,440	32	78,080
Montrose	5,950	95	5,650	43	242,950
Alamosa	6,390	93	5,940	31	184,140
Conejos	9,280	91	8,440	39	329,160
Costilla	2,300	95	2,180	33	71,940
Rio Grande	8,190	82	6,720	37	248,640
Saguache	6,030	85	5,130	33	169,290
Baca	8,250	27	2,230	6	13,380
Bent	2,210	87	1,920	25	48,000
Crowley	1,020	87	890	25	22,250
Huerfano	4,670	62	2,900	16	46,400
Otero	4,580	78	3,570	32	114,240
Prowers	8,910	42	3,740	20	74,800
Pueblo	2,600	67	1,740	27	46,980
State Total	457,230	75.2	344,050	28.5	9,804,360

WINTER WHEAT, IRRIGATED AND NON-IRRIGATED—1953 (Preliminary)

COUNTY	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels
Chaffee	240	98	240	26	6,240
Clear Creek	---	---	---	---	---
Eagle	40	98	40	28	1,120
Gilpin	---	---	---	---	---
Grand	1,280	98	1,250	16	20,000
Gunnison	---	---	---	---	---
Jackson	840	93	780	16	12,480
Lake	---	---	---	---	---
Moffat	39,250	93	36,500	17	620,500
Park	---	---	---	---	---
Pitkin	120	98	120	18	2,160
Rio Blanco	8,190	93	7,620	21	160,020
Routt	26,400	98	25,870	20	517,400
Summit	---	---	---	---	---
Teller	---	---	---	---	---
Total Northwest District	76,360	94.8	72,420	18.5	1,339,920
Boulder	16,120	86	13,860	18	249,480
Jefferson	11,040	87	9,600	19	182,400
Larimer	26,410	78	20,600	16	329,600
Logan	192,500	80	171,320	19	3,255,080
Morgan	80,140	82	65,710	17	1,117,070
Sedgwick	99,680	96	95,690	25	2,392,250
Weld	259,970	82	213,180	19	4,050,420
Total North Central and N. E. Districts	685,860	86.0	589,960	19.6	11,576,300
Adams	183,510	95	174,330	22	3,835,260
Arapahoe	81,660	94	76,760	16	1,228,160
Cheyenne	190,210	64	121,730	8	973,840
Denver	---	---	---	---	---
Douglas	13,850	98	13,570	17	230,690
Elbert	90,890	84	76,350	13	992,550
El Paso	24,710	60	14,830	12	177,960
Kiowa	325,990	29	94,540	6	567,240
Kit Carson	312,400	84	262,420	12	3,149,040
Lincoln	185,660	86	159,670	13	2,075,710
Phillips	159,910	75	119,930	18	2,158,740
Washington	323,230	95	307,070	20	6,141,400
Yuma	200,140	95	190,130	18	3,422,340
Total East Central District	2,092,160	77.0	1,611,330	15.5	24,952,930
Archuleta	940	91	860	14	12,040
Delta	500	88	440	28	12,320
Dolores	35,040	95	33,290	11	366,190
Garfield	4,850	88	4,270	18	76,860
Hinsdale	---	---	---	---	---
La Plata	24,770	91	22,540	13	293,020
Mesa	1,530	91	1,390	24	33,360
Montezuma	30,000	93	27,900	9	251,100
Montrose	1,370	93	1,270	26	33,020
Ourray	570	94	520	16	8,320
San Juan	---	---	---	---	---
San Miguel	6,060	94	5,700	12	68,400
Total West Central and S. W. Districts	105,630	92.9	98,180	11.8	1,154,630
Alamosa	---	---	---	---	---
Conejos	---	---	---	---	---
Costilla	---	---	---	---	---
Mineral	---	---	---	---	---
Rio Grande	---	---	---	---	---
Saguache	---	---	---	---	---
Total South Central District	---	---	---	---	---
Baca	439,980	18	79,200	4	316,800
Bent	34,540	47	16,230	13	210,990
Crowley	26,210	27	7,080	6	42,480
Custer	210	52	110	22	2,420
Fremont	870	52	450	14	6,300
Huerfano	7,020	42	2,950	10	29,500
Las Animas	24,600	17	4,180	4	16,720
Otero	3,160	72	2,280	20	45,600
Prowers	233,840	50	116,920	6	701,520
Pueblo	18,660	63	11,760	9	105,840
Total Southeast District	789,090	30.6	241,160	6.1	1,478,170
State Total	3,749,100	69.7	2,613,050	15.5	40,501,950

SPRING WHEAT AND OATS, IRRIGATED AND NON-IRRIGATED—1953 (Preliminary)
(Principal Producing Counties)

COUNTY	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels
SPRING WHEAT					
Eagle	1,260	97	1,220	38	46,360
Moffat	13,230	97	12,830	16	205,280
Rio Blanco	1,680	97	1,630	18	29,340
Routt	11,840	97	11,480	16	183,680
Larimer	3,120	97	3,030	19	57,570
Logan	1,020	95	970	13	12,610
Morgan	3,860	84	3,240	12	38,880
Weld	3,280	89	2,920	18	52,560
Adams	6,410	80	5,130	16	82,080
Arapahoe	1,630	82	1,340	16	21,440
Elbert	1,800	85	1,530	10	15,300
El Paso	2,730	72	1,970	9	17,730
Lincoln	3,100	77	2,390	8	19,120
Washington	320	88	280	14	3,920
Archuleta	2,150	96	2,060	19	39,140
Delta	1,730	97	1,680	35	58,800
Dolores	260	95	250	11	2,750
Garfield	2,830	94	2,660	20	53,200
La Plata	5,300	82	4,350	29	126,150
Montezuma	1,350	95	1,280	19	24,320
Montrose	6,020	96	5,780	37	213,860
Alamosa	1,930	94	1,810	24	43,440
Conejos	3,300	92	3,040	26	79,040
Costilla	920	96	880	22	19,360
Rio Grande	4,820	97	4,680	30	140,400
Saguache	1,220	96	1,170	27	31,590
Las Animas	1,940	87	1,690	10	16,900
State Total	101,200	90.2	91,330	19.9	1,820,340
OATS					
Chaffee	670	89	600	33	19,800
Eagle	2,180	90	1,960	54	105,840
Grand	1,900	90	1,710	31	53,010
Moffat	1,460	90	1,310	38	49,780
Rio Blanco	1,580	90	1,420	51	72,420
Routt	11,360	89	10,110	33	333,630
Boulder	2,780	95	2,640	41	108,240
Jefferson	2,080	88	1,830	30	54,900
Larimer	4,130	78	3,220	37	119,140
Logan	13,750	75	10,310	25	257,750
Morgan	11,810	73	8,620	26	224,120
Sedgwick	5,020	70	3,510	28	98,280
Weld	18,730	86	16,110	34	547,740
Adams	2,420	73	1,770	32	56,640
Arapahoe	1,750	73	1,280	25	32,000
Cheyenne	330	50	160	10	1,600
Douglas	3,330	73	2,430	18	43,740
Elbert	14,170	70	9,920	18	178,560
El Paso	13,730	62	8,510	13	110,630
Kit Carson	4,170	60	2,500	11	27,500
Phillips	4,610	55	2,540	17	43,180
Washington	14,690	67	9,840	13	127,920
Yuma	4,300	83	3,570	16	57,120
Archuleta	1,180	90	1,060	32	33,920
Delta	5,270	91	4,800	49	235,200
Garfield	3,040	85	2,580	51	131,580
La Plata	5,320	85	4,520	30	135,600
Mesa	4,650	91	4,230	47	198,810
Montezuma	3,440	95	3,270	31	101,370
Montrose	6,270	85	5,330	47	250,510
Alamosa	6,610	75	4,960	30	148,800
Conejos	11,320	80	9,060	40	362,400
Costilla	3,550	80	2,840	30	85,200
Rio Grande	7,150	80	5,720	38	217,360
Saguache	5,570	93	5,180	30	155,400
Bent	2,950	70	2,060	28	57,680
Crowley	980	78	760	22	16,720
Custer	1,700	90	1,530	23	35,190
Fremont	2,010	60	1,210	23	27,830
Huerfano	2,170	60	1,300	15	19,500
Otero	1,760	83	1,460	33	48,180
Prowers	2,610	83	2,170	22	47,740
Pueblo	1,760	64	1,130	29	32,770
State Total	226,110	77.7	175,750	29.5	5,192,080

POTATOES AND DRY BEANS, IRRIGATED AND NON-IRRIGATED—1953 (Preliminary)
(Principal Producing Counties)

COUNTY	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels
POTATOES					
Chaffee	40	98	40	250	10,000
Eagle	460	100	460	344	158,240
Gilpin	10	100	10	70	700
Grand	10	100	10	250	2,500
Gunnison	10	98	10	140	1,400
Moffat	90	98	90	100	9,000
Park	30	100	30	65	1,950
Pitkin	160	100	160	330	52,800
Rio Blanco	30	100	30	270	8,100
Routt	210	98	210	145	30,450
Teller	50	100	50	65	3,250
Larimer	200	98	200	333	66,600
Logan	100	98	100	268	26,800
Morgan	1,310	94	1,230	298	366,540
Sedgwick	1,620	99	1,600	323	516,800
Weld	11,450	99	11,340	363	4,116,420
Adams	70	98	70	340	23,800
Kit Carson	10	100	10	80	800
Lincoln	70	98	70	80	5,600
Washington	40	100	40	240	9,600
Yuma	20	100	20	280	5,600
Archuleta	10	100	10	250	2,500
Delta	80	98	80	300	24,000
Dolores	80	98	80	115	9,200
Garfield	260	98	250	260	65,000
La Plata	70	98	70	200	14,000
Mesa	340	96	330	245	80,850
Montezuma	330	99	330	245	80,850
Montrose	920	97	890	290	258,100
Ouray	20	100	20	155	3,100
San Miguel	20	100	20	225	4,500
Alamosa	4,720	98	4,630	318	1,472,340
Conejos	2,980	98	2,920	328	957,760
Costilla	1,770	98	1,730	323	558,790
Rio Grande	17,090	98	16,750	363	6,080,250
Saguache	9,390	98	9,200	302	2,778,400
Bent	350	97	340	215	73,100
Custer	20	100	20	190	3,800
Fremont	10	100	10	80	800
Otero	240	98	240	355	85,200
Prowers	350	98	340	355	120,700
State Total	55,040	98.2	54,040	335	18,090,190

COUNTY	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Harvested	Pounds Per Acre	Production 100-lb. Bags (uncleaned)
DRY BEANS					
Boulder	20	97	20	1,635	327
Larimer	1,720	97	1,670	1,560	26,052
Logan	3,140	84	2,640	1,530	40,392
Morgan	14,720	96	14,130	1,760	248,688
Sedgwick	2,830	96	2,720	1,530	41,616
Weld	55,340	96	53,130	1,910	1,014,783
Adams	740	97	720	740	5,328
Arapahoe	370	97	360	400	1,440
Cheyenne	70	90	60	360	216
Douglas	70	96	70	420	294
Elbert	2,190	96	2,100	420	8,820
El Paso	17,080	96	16,400	320	52,480
Lincoln	2,440	96	2,340	295	6,903
Washington	1,930	97	1,870	1,370	25,619
Delta	2,060	97	2,000	1,570	31,400
Dolores	44,420	96	42,640	490	208,936
La Plata	4,440	96	4,260	595	25,347
Mesa	3,650	97	3,540	1,280	45,312
Montezuma	42,050	96	40,370	580	234,146
Montrose	7,910	97	7,670	1,650	126,555
San Miguel	4,520	96	4,340	360	15,624
Conejos	410	96	390	880	3,432
Costilla	90	96	90	880	792
Baca	320	90	290	190	551
Bent	160	90	140	730	1,022
Crowley	2,740	96	2,630	390	10,257
Fremont	30	96	30	530	159
Huerfano	130	96	120	530	636
Las Animas	3,860	95	3,670	390	14,313
Otero	1,270	94	1,190	1,230	14,637
Prowers	210	90	190	770	1,463
Pueblo	12,870	94	12,100	550	66,550
State Total	233,800	95.8	223,890	1,016	2,274,090

SUGAR BEETS—IRRIGATED—1953 (Preliminary)

COUNTY	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Harvested	Tons Per Acre	Production Tons
Chaffee	---	--	---	---	---
Clear Creek	---	---	---	---	---
Eagle	---	---	---	---	---
Gilpin	---	---	---	---	---
Grand	---	---	---	---	---
Gunnison	---	---	---	---	---
Jackson	---	---	---	---	---
Lake	---	---	---	---	---
Moffat	---	---	---	---	---
Park	---	---	---	---	---
Pitkin	---	---	---	---	---
Rio Blanco	---	---	---	---	---
Routt	---	---	---	---	---
Summit	---	---	---	---	---
Teller	---	---	---	---	---
Total Northwest District	---	---	---	---	---
Boulder	2,401	94	2,265	15.9	35,966
Jefferson	48	92	44	11.0	485
Larimer	8,179	95	7,769	15.2	118,242
Logan	8,395	94	7,882	15.4	121,629
Morgan	19,600	92	18,023	17.3	312,098
Sedgwick	2,916	99	2,883	18.0	51,999
Weld	57,700	97	56,076	18.2	1,019,166
Total North Central & N. E. Districts	99,239	96	94,942	17.5	1,659,585
Adams	2,575	96	2,461	15.8	38,763
Arapahoe	10	100	10	13.7	137
Cheyenne	---	---	---	---	---
Denver	---	---	---	---	---
Douglas	---	---	---	---	---
Elbert	---	---	---	---	---
El Paso	---	---	---	---	---
Kiowa	---	---	---	---	---
Kit Carson	---	---	---	---	---
Lincoln	---	---	---	---	---
Phillips	---	---	---	---	---
Washington	633	91	578	14.9	8,637
Yuma	---	---	---	---	---
Total East Central District	3,218	95	3,049	15.6	47,537
Archuleta	---	---	---	---	---
Delta	590	97	573	16.1	9,205
Dolores	---	---	---	---	---
Garfield	104	90	94	13.7	1,284
Hinsdale	---	---	---	---	---
La Plata	---	---	---	---	---
Mesa	2,518	97	2,443	18.4	45,025
Montezuma	---	---	---	---	---
Montrose	1,124	94	1,061	15.6	16,560
Ouray	---	---	---	---	---
San Juan	---	---	---	---	---
San Miguel	---	---	---	---	---
Total West Central & S. W. Districts	4,336	96	4,171	17.3	72,074
Alamosa	704	54	378	8.4	3,169
Conejos	65	18	12	6.5	78
Costilla	235	0	0	0	0
Mineral	---	---	---	---	---
Rio Grande	146	58	84	5.1	432
Saguache	111	82	91	9.3	848
Total South Central District	1,261	45	565	8.0	4,527
Baca	---	---	---	---	---
Bent	738	99	728	16.8	12,201
Crowley	2,740	95	2,604	12.6	32,777
Custer	---	---	---	---	---
Fremont	30	100	30	12.4	373
Huerfano	---	---	---	---	---
Las Animas	459	76	348	10.8	3,745
Otero	4,055	97	3,917	14.2	55,669
Prowers	2,198	92	2,018	12.4	24,979
Pueblo	3,054	97	2,953	14.3	42,156
Total Southeast District	13,274	95	12,598	13.6	171,900
State Total	121,328	95	115,325	17.0	1,955,623

IRRIGATED AND NON-IRRIGATED—ACREAGE AND PRODUCTION, 1939-1953¹

Year	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total	
	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Production Bushels
CORN								
1939	150,000	25.5	3,825,000	596,000	5.5	3,278,000	746,000	7,103,000
1940	153,000	29.2	4,468,000	712,000	7.5	5,340,000	865,000	9,808,000
1941	171,000	32.9	5,622,000	780,000	12.1	9,438,000	951,000	15,064,000
1942	162,000	37.0	5,994,000	818,000	15.0	12,270,000	980,000	18,264,000
1943	190,000	38.0	7,220,000	712,000	11.0	7,832,000	902,000	15,052,000
1944	190,000	38.5	7,315,000	694,000	13.3	9,230,000	884,000	16,545,000
1945	160,000	40.4	6,464,000	556,000	15.3	8,507,000	716,000	14,971,000
1946	160,000	41.0	6,560,000	413,000	13.5	5,576,000	573,000	12,136,000
1947	149,000	46.0	6,854,000	373,000	14.0	5,222,000	522,000	12,076,000
1948	175,000	49.0	8,575,000	347,000	12.0	4,164,000	522,000	12,739,000
1949	200,000	49.5	9,900,000	426,000	15.5	6,603,000	626,000	16,503,000
1950	185,000	47.1	8,714,000	372,000	12.5	4,650,000	557,000	13,364,000
1951	190,000	50.0	9,500,000	367,000	13.5	4,954,000	557,000	14,454,000
1952	198,000	51.5	10,197,000	253,000	10.5	2,656,000	451,000	12,853,000
1953 ¹	190,000	54.5	10,355,000	211,000	13.5	2,848,000	401,000	13,203,000
WINTER WHEAT								
1939	100,000	23.5	2,350,000	790,000	9.3	7,347,000	890,000	9,697,000
1940	84,000	25.0	2,100,000	672,000	10.0	6,720,000	756,000	8,820,000
1941	111,000	28.5	3,164,000	1,053,000	17.5	18,428,000	1,164,000	21,592,000
1942	95,000	29.0	2,755,000	1,011,000	22.0	22,242,000	1,106,000	24,997,000
1943	80,000	29.0	2,320,000	1,203,000	23.5	27,068,000	1,283,000	29,388,000
1944	70,000	25.0	1,750,000	1,046,000	13.4	14,016,000	1,116,000	15,766,000
1945	65,000	28.0	1,820,000	1,322,000	22.2	30,236,000	1,427,000	32,056,000
1946	90,000	26.0	2,340,000	1,794,000	18.6	38,368,000	1,884,000	35,708,000
1947	90,000	29.0	2,610,000	2,529,000	21.2	53,615,000	2,619,000	56,225,000
1948	90,000	31.5	2,835,000	2,669,000	19.6	52,312,000	2,759,000	55,147,000
1949	85,000	28.5	2,422,000	2,564,000	15.5	39,742,000	2,649,000	42,164,000
1950	63,000	25.0	1,575,000	2,136,000	15.7	33,535,000	2,199,000	35,110,000
1951	58,000	24.0	1,392,000	2,317,000	13.7	31,743,000	2,375,000	33,135,000
1952	68,000	30.0	2,040,000	3,043,000	17.0	51,731,000	3,111,000	53,771,000
1953 ¹	58,000	29.0	1,682,000	2,524,000	15.4	38,870,000	2,582,000	40,552,000
SPRING WHEAT								
1939	82,000	22.3	1,829,000	88,000	6.1	537,000	170,000	2,366,000
1940	83,000	22.9	1,901,000	189,000	8.5	1,606,000	272,000	3,507,000
1941	68,000	27.7	1,884,000	136,000	11.0	1,496,000	204,000	3,380,000
1942	57,000	26.0	1,482,000	74,000	12.5	925,000	131,000	2,407,000
1943	56,000	26.0	1,456,000	71,000	11.0	781,000	127,000	2,237,000
1944	49,000	24.5	1,200,000	91,000	8.7	792,000	140,000	1,992,000
1945	48,000	27.5	1,320,000	85,000	15.5	1,318,000	133,000	2,638,000
1946	52,000	23.5	1,222,000	68,000	11.5	782,000	120,000	2,004,000
1947	51,000	29.0	1,479,000	68,000	14.5	986,000	119,000	2,465,000
1948	55,000	29.0	1,595,000	47,000	13.0	611,000	102,000	2,206,000
1949	49,000	32.5	1,592,000	140,000	15.0	2,100,000	189,000	3,692,000
1950	38,000	25.0	950,000	77,000	9.5	732,000	115,000	1,682,000
1951	40,000	23.0	920,000	68,000	10.0	680,000	108,000	1,600,000
1952	30,000	31.0	930,000	35,000	15.0	525,000	65,000	1,455,000
1953 ¹	37,000	30.0	1,110,000	54,000	13.0	702,000	91,000	1,812,000
OATS								
1939	88,000	33.2	2,922,000	60,000	15.2	912,000	148,000	3,834,000
1940	82,000	34.8	2,854,000	69,000	19.2	1,325,000	151,000	4,179,000
1941	100,000	40.5	4,050,000	77,000	23.5	1,809,000	177,000	5,859,000
1942	94,000	37.0	3,478,000	87,000	25.0	2,175,000	181,000	5,653,000
1943	94,000	38.5	3,619,000	94,000	23.5	2,209,000	188,000	5,828,000
1944	100,000	39.5	3,950,000	124,000	18.5	2,294,000	224,000	6,244,000
1945	90,000	39.5	3,555,000	130,000	29.0	3,770,000	220,000	7,325,000
1946	85,000	38.7	3,290,000	102,000	22.7	2,315,000	187,000	5,605,000
1947	88,000	40.0	3,520,000	112,000	27.0	3,024,000	200,000	6,544,000
1948	95,000	40.0	3,800,000	99,000	20.5	2,030,000	194,000	5,830,000
1949	103,000	41.5	4,274,000	132,000	26.0	3,432,000	235,000	7,706,000
1950	96,000	35.9	3,446,000	94,000	15.8	1,485,000	190,000	4,931,000
1951	90,000	36.0	3,240,000	92,000	21.0	1,932,000	182,000	5,172,000
1952	115,000	38.0	4,370,000	76,000	19.0	1,444,000	191,000	5,814,000
1953 ¹	99,000	39.0	3,861,000	77,000	17.0	1,309,000	176,000	5,170,000

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IRRIGATED AND NON-IRRIGATED—ACREAGE AND PRODUCTION, 1939-1953¹

Year	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total	
	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Production Bushels
BARLEY								
1939-----	204,000	31.5	6,426,000	216,000	7.3	1,577,000	420,000	8,003,000
1940-----	202,000	33.8	6,828,000	298,000	11.0	3,278,000	500,000	10,106,000
1941-----	243,000	38.5	9,355,000	417,000	17.5	7,297,000	660,000	16,652,000
1942-----	225,000	34.5	7,762,000	448,000	18.0	8,064,000	673,000	15,826,000
1943-----	225,000	35.5	7,988,000	509,000	19.0	9,671,000	734,000	17,659,000
1944-----	216,000	36.0	7,776,000	510,000	15.0	7,650,000	726,000	15,426,000
1945-----	210,000	39.0	8,190,000	581,000	24.7	14,351,000	791,000	22,541,000
1946-----	200,000	36.0	7,200,000	393,000	17.5	6,878,000	593,000	14,078,000
1947-----	230,000	40.0	9,200,000	375,000	21.0	7,875,000	605,000	17,075,000
1948-----	244,000	38.5	9,394,000	319,000	14.7	4,689,000	563,000	14,083,000
1949-----	255,000	39.0	9,945,000	533,000	22.9	12,206,000	788,000	22,151,000
1950-----	228,000	31.0	7,068,000	261,000	9.5	2,480,000	489,000	9,548,000
1951-----	195,000	33.0	6,435,000	211,000	15.0	3,165,000	406,000	9,600,000
1952-----	188,000	37.0	6,956,000	137,000	12.0	1,644,000	325,000	8,600,000
1953 ¹ -----	207,000	38.0	7,866,000	137,000	14.5	1,986,000	344,000	9,852,000

POTATOES

1939-----	71,000	163	11,573,000	6,000	52	312,000	77,000	11,885,000
1940-----	63,000	202	12,726,000	4,000	90	360,000	67,000	13,086,000
1941-----	63,000	194	12,222,000	4,000	70	280,000	67,000	12,502,000
1942-----	67,000	233	15,611,000	5,000	95	475,000	72,000	16,086,000
1943-----	77,000	218	16,786,000	7,000	80	560,000	84,000	17,346,000
1944-----	81,000	222	17,982,000	4,000	50	200,000	85,000	18,182,000
1945-----	84,000	202	16,968,000	5,000	80	400,000	89,000	17,368,000
1946-----	79,000	243	19,197,000	4,000	80	320,000	83,000	19,517,000
1947-----	63,000	274	17,262,000	3,000	85	255,000	66,000	17,517,000
1948-----	70,000	296	20,720,000	2,000	90	180,000	72,000	20,900,000
1949-----	57,000	331	18,867,000	2,000	83	166,000	59,000	19,033,000
1950-----	54,000	335	18,090,000	2,000	55	110,000	56,000	18,200,000
1951-----	47,000	259	12,173,000	1,000	60	60,000	48,000	12,233,000
1952-----	51,000	390	19,890,000	1,000	80	80,000	80,000	19,970,000
1953 ¹ -----	54,000	340	18,360,000	1,000	90	90,000	55,000	18,450,000

Year	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total	
	Acres Harvested	Pounds Per Acre	Production 100-lb. Bags	Acres Harvested	Pounds Per Acre	Production 100-lb. Bags	Acres Harvested	Production 100-lb. Bags
BEANS (Dry)								
1939-----	104,000	1,155	1,201,000	180,000	215	387,000	284,000	1,588,000
1940-----	106,000	1,150	1,219,000	226,000	330	746,000	332,000	1,965,000
1941-----	94,000	1,110	1,043,000	185,000	310	574,000	279,000	1,617,000
1942-----	102,000	1,140	1,163,000	205,000	360	738,000	307,000	1,901,000
1943-----	146,000	1,120	1,635,000	314,000	320	1,005,000	460,000	2,640,000
1944-----	108,000	1,100	1,188,000	219,000	300	657,000	327,000	1,845,000
1945-----	86,000	1,060	912,000	185,000	370	684,000	271,000	1,596,000
1946-----	89,000	1,240	1,104,000	160,000	320	512,000	249,000	1,616,000
1947-----	107,000	1,400	1,500,000	214,000	480	1,027,000	321,000	2,527,000
1948-----	114,000	1,400	1,600,000	210,000	336	706,000	324,000	2,306,000
1949-----	118,000	1,550	1,829,000	177,000	380	673,000	295,000	2,502,000
1950-----	91,000	1,520	1,383,000	148,000	280	414,000	239,000	1,797,000
1951-----	96,000	1,400	1,344,000	107,000	205	219,000	203,000	1,563,000
1952-----	80,000	1,760	1,408,000	95,000	430	408,000	175,000	1,816,000
1953 ¹ -----	100,000	1,750	1,750,000	124,000	430	533,000	224,000	2,283,000

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PLANTED AND HARVESTED ACREAGES OF PRINCIPAL CROPS, 1939-1953

PLANTED ACREAGE

Year	All Corn	Oats	Barley	All Wheat	Rye	All Sorghums	Beans	Potatoes	Sugar Beets	Wild Hay ¹	All Hay ¹	Commercial Truck Crops		Total Principal Crops
												Processing ¹	Market ¹	
Thousand Acres														
1939	1,039	184	676	1,466	108	872	430	85	167	371	1,346	9	47	6,429
1940	1,018	191	629	1,401	94	1,071	391	74	152	367	1,349	10	49	6,429
1941	1,008	201	742	1,551	146	1,009	340	70	135	418	1,475	12	45	6,734
1942	1,028	207	876	1,374	200	720	350	74	195	435	1,434	14	47	6,519
1943	956	221	894	1,493	220	630	539	87	139	444	1,409	15	49	6,652
1944	937	254	867	1,658	125	766	350	89	136	466	1,467	14	58	6,721
1945	750	244	876	1,850	121	705	290	92	162	443	1,425	15	55	6,585
1946	600	227	683	2,244	100	613	276	87	173	439	1,359	14	55	6,431
1947	546	234	669	2,903	78	490	331	67	176	470	1,356	14	55	6,919
1948	541	229	662	3,186	58	500	341	73	123	451	1,351	12	45	7,121
1949	649	261	847	3,552	38	645	307	60	126	474	1,401	13	43	7,942
1950	597	248	822	3,226	51	645	261	57	154	427	1,316	12	39	7,428
1951	591	246	518	3,676	59	819	230	50	132	406	1,291	13	33	7,658
1952	485	263	435	3,836	55	639	184	51	118	438	1,396	12	29	7,503
1953	422	226	457	3,850	58	748	234	55	121	416	1,413	12	29	7,625

HARVESTED ACREAGE

Year	Thousand Acres													
	All Corn	Oats	Barley	All Wheat	Rye	All Sorghums	Beans	Potatoes	Sugar Beets	Wild Hay ¹	All Hay ¹	Processing ¹	Market ¹	Total Principal Crops
1939	746	148	420	1,060	43	547	284	77	145	371	1,346	9	47	4,872
1940	865	151	500	1,028	43	881	332	67	140	367	1,349	10	49	5,415
1941	951	177	660	1,368	94	917	279	67	132	418	1,475	12	45	6,177
1942	980	181	673	1,237	110	619	307	72	180	435	1,434	14	47	5,854
1943	902	188	734	1,410	126	556	460	84	133	444	1,409	15	49	6,066
1944	884	224	726	1,256	76	723	327	85	117	466	1,467	14	58	5,957
1945	716	220	791	1,560	80	658	271	89	152	443	1,425	15	55	6,032
1946	573	187	593	2,004	68	546	249	83	153	439	1,359	14	55	5,884
1947	522	200	605	2,738	47	470	321	66	168	470	1,356	14	55	6,562
1948	522	194	563	2,861	35	479	324	72	103	451	1,351	12	45	6,561
1949	626	235	788	2,838	23	618	295	59	117	474	1,401	13	43	7,056
1950	557	190	489	2,314	28	457	239	56	146	427	1,316	12	39	5,843
1951	557	182	406	2,483	27	704	203	48	124	406	1,291	13	33	6,071
1952	451	191	325	3,176	28	429	175	50	113	438	1,396	12	29	6,375
1953	401	176	344	2,704	29	558	224	54	116	416	1,413	12	29	6,060

¹ Only harvested acreage estimates are made for these crops.

CORN ACREAGE PLANTED WITH HYBRID SEED, 1939-1953

Year	COLORADO			UNITED STATES		
	All Corn Acreage	Percentage Planted With Hybrid Seed	Indicated Hybrid Corn Acreage	All Corn Acreage	Percentage Planted With Hybrid Seed	Indicated Hybrid Corn Acreage
1939	1,039,000	.9	9,000	91,639,000	22.5	20,618,000
1940	1,018,000	1.9	20,000	88,692,000	30.5	27,011,000
1941	1,008,000	5.2	52,000	86,837,000	39.3	34,134,000
1942	1,028,000	8.9	91,000	88,818,000	46.4	41,199,000
1943	956,000	15.4	147,000	94,341,000	52.4	49,428,000
1944	937,000	21.0	197,000	95,475,000	59.2	56,475,000
1945	750,000	25.6	192,000	89,261,000	64.4	57,484,000
1946	600,000	30.0	180,000	88,898,000	68.6	60,984,000
1947	546,000	34.0	186,000	85,038,000	72.1	61,312,000
1948	541,000	53.0	287,000	85,522,000	75.5	64,569,000
1949	649,000	64.0	415,000	86,745,000	77.7	67,401,000
1950	597,000	56.0	334,000	82,858,000	77.4	64,132,000
1951	591,000	53.0	313,000	82,283,000	81.6	67,994,000
1952	532,000	58.5	311,000	82,658,000	84.6	69,914,000
1953	479,000	75.5	362,000	81,800,000	86.3	70,578,000

ALL WHEAT—ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1945-1953

Year	Acreage		Yield Per Acre		Production 1,000 Bushels	Price Per Bushel Dollars	Value 1,000 Dollars
	Planted ¹ 1,000 Acres	Harvested 1,000 Acres	Planted Bushels	Harvested Bushels			
COLORADO							
1945-----	1,850	1,560	18.8	22.3	34,768	1.41	49,023
1946-----	2,244	2,004	16.8	18.9	37,776	1.85	69,886
1947-----	2,903	2,738	20.3	21.5	58,866	2.23	131,271
1948-----	3,186	2,861	18.0	20.1	57,373	1.91	109,582
1949-----	3,552	2,838	13.0	16.3	46,164	1.87	86,327
1950-----	3,226	2,314	11.4	16.0	36,909	2.00	73,818
1951-----	3,676	2,483	9.5	14.0	34,870	2.11	73,511
1952-----	3,836	3,176	14.6	17.6	55,904	2.05	114,630
1953-----	3,850	2,704	11.0	15.7	42,322	2.00	84,553

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1945-----	69,192	65,167	16.0	17.0	1,107,623	1.50	1,661,434
1946-----	71,578	67,105	16.1	17.2	1,152,118	1.91	2,200,545
1947-----	78,314	74,519	17.4	18.2	1,358,911	2.29	3,111,906
1948-----	78,345	72,418	16.5	17.9	1,294,911	1.99	2,576,873
1949-----	83,905	75,910	13.1	14.5	1,098,415	1.88	2,065,020
1950-----	71,287	61,610	14.3	16.5	1,019,389	2.00	2,043,082
1951-----	78,048	61,492	12.6	16.0	980,810	2.11	2,073,645
1952-----	78,337	70,926	16.6	18.3	1,298,957	2.09	2,714,404
1953-----	78,741	67,608	14.8	17.3	1,168,536	2.01	2,348,852

¹ Planted for harvest in year shown. Winter wheat sown fall preceding year.

CORN—UTILIZATION FOR GRAIN, SILAGE, HOGGING DOWN, GRAZING AND FORAGE, 1945-1953

Year	FOR GRAIN			FOR SILAGE			Hogging Down, Grazing, and Forage Acreage 1,000 Acres
	Acres Harvested 1,000 Acres	Yield Per Acre Bushels	Production 1,000 Bushels	Acres Harvested 1,000 Acres	Yield Per Acre Tons	Production 1,000 Tons	
COLORADO							
1945-----	530	21.0	11,130	54	6.3	340	132
1946-----	372	20.0	7,440	60	6.7	402	141
1947-----	397	22.0	8,734	57	8.0	456	68
1948-----	355	22.0	7,810	73	7.5	548	94
1949-----	482	24.6	11,857	83	8.6	714	61
1950-----	343	24.5	8,404	117	8.0	936	97
1951-----	340	27.5	9,350	139	8.0	1,112	78
1952-----	212	26.0	5,512	148	9.5	1,406	91
1953-----	237	29.0	6,873	120	10.0	1,200	44

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1945-----	77,928	33.1	2,577,440	4,495	7.83	35,214	5,202
1946-----	78,410	37.2	2,916,089	4,577	7.87	36,031	4,598
1947-----	73,802	28.6	2,108,320	4,637	7.39	34,290	4,449
1948-----	76,840	43.0	3,307,038	4,317	8.71	37,592	3,621
1949-----	77,163	38.2	2,949,293	4,462	9.01	40,221	3,977
1950-----	72,625	38.0	2,760,374	4,878	8.34	40,685	4,314
1951-----	71,397	36.7	2,617,319	4,757	8.08	38,447	4,582
1952-----	71,821	41.5	2,977,243	5,221	8.10	42,297	4,057
1953-----	71,175	40.3	2,869,636	5,697	8.01	45,619	3,407

CORN, OATS, BARLEY, WINTER WHEAT, SPRING WHEAT, AND RYE
ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1945-1953

Year	COLORADO							UNITED STATES		
	Acreage		Yield Per Acre		Production 1,000 Bushels	Price Per Bushel Dollars	Value 1,000 Dollars	Acreage Planted 1,000 Acres	Yield Per Harv. Acre Bushels	Production 1,000 Bushels
	Planted 1,000 Acres	Harvested 1,000 Acres	Planted Bushels	Harv. Bushels						
CORN										
1945	750	716	20.0	21.0	15,036	1.19	17,893	89,261	32.7	2,868,795
1946	600	573	20.1	21.0	12,033	1.46	17,568	88,898	36.7	3,217,076
1947	546	522	22.0	23.0	12,006	2.17	26,053	85,038	28.4	2,354,739
1948	541	522	23.2	24.0	12,528	1.33	16,662	85,522	42.5	3,605,078
1949	649	626	25.3	26.2	16,401	1.27	20,829	86,745	37.8	3,238,618
1950	597	557	22.4	24.0	13,365	1.60	21,389	82,858	37.4	3,057,803
1951	591	557	24.5	26.0	14,482	1.84	26,647	83,283	35.9	2,899,160
1952	485	451	26.5	28.5	12,854	1.63	20,952	82,409	40.4	3,279,403
1953	422	401	31.4	33.0	13,233	1.60	21,173	81,403	39.6	3,176,615
OATS										
1945	244	220	29.8	33.0	7,260	.66	4,792	46,025	36.5	1,523,851
1946	227	187	24.7	30.0	5,610	.83	4,656	46,515	34.5	1,477,573
1947	234	200	27.8	32.5	6,500	1.04	6,760	42,058	31.1	1,176,142
1948	229	194	25.4	30.0	5,820	.76	4,423	43,838	36.9	1,450,186
1949	261	235	29.4	32.7	7,684	.70	5,379	43,318	32.0	1,254,885
1950	248	190	19.9	26.0	4,940	.91	4,495	45,464	34.6	1,410,464
1951	246	182	21.1	28.5	5,187	.99	5,135	41,682	36.2	1,321,288
1952	263	191	22.2	30.5	5,826	.93	5,418	42,766	32.8	1,260,127
1953	226	176	23.0	29.5	5,192	.81	4,205	44,015	30.9	1,216,416
BARLEY										
1945	876	791	25.7	28.5	22,544	.93	20,966	11,745	25.5	266,994
1946	683	593	20.4	23.5	13,936	1.23	17,141	11,467	25.5	265,059
1947	669	605	25.3	28.0	16,940	1.49	25,241	11,981	25.7	281,868
1948	662	563	21.3	25.0	14,075	1.02	14,356	13,063	26.5	315,537
1949	847	788	26.1	28.1	22,143	.90	19,929	11,132	24.0	237,071
1950	822	489	11.6	19.5	9,536	1.14	10,871	13,100	27.2	303,533
1951	518	406	18.4	23.5	9,541	1.29	12,308	10,869	26.9	254,287
1952	435	325	19.8	26.5	8,612	1.34	11,540	9,359	27.4	226,014
1953	457	344	21.5	28.5	9,804	1.10	10,784	9,597	28.2	241,015
WINTER WHEAT¹										
1945	1,710	1,427	18.8	22.5	32,108	1.41	45,272	50,463	17.4	816,989
1946	2,103	1,884	17.0	19.0	35,796	1.85	66,223	52,227	18.0	869,592
1947	2,776	2,619	20.3	21.5	56,308	2.23	125,567	58,248	19.3	1,058,976
1948	3,076	2,759	17.9	20.0	55,180	1.90	104,842	58,332	18.7	990,141
1949	3,353	2,649	12.6	16.0	42,384	1.87	79,258	61,177	15.8	858,127
1950	3,085	2,199	11.4	16.0	35,184	2.00	70,368	52,399	17.1	740,682
1951	3,548	2,375	9.4	14.0	33,250	2.11	70,158	55,784	16.2	646,325
1952	3,749	3,111	14.5	17.5	54,442	2.05	111,606	56,730	20.9	1,059,558
1953	3,749	2,613	10.8	15.5	40,502	2.00	81,004	56,838	18.8	877,511
SPRING WHEAT, ALL										
1945	140	133	19.0	20.0	2,660	1.41	3,751	16,703	16.0	257,794
1946	141	120	14.0	16.5	1,980	1.83	3,623	16,858	15.2	246,690
1947	127	119	20.1	21.5	2,558	2.21	5,653	17,091	15.4	255,607
1948	110	102	19.0	21.5	2,193	1.87	4,101	16,735	16.0	259,628
1949	199	189	19.0	20.0	3,780	1.81	6,842	18,361	11.2	201,216
1950	141	115	12.2	15.0	1,725	1.95	3,364	13,888	15.6	241,495
1951	128	108	12.7	15.0	1,620	2.07	3,353	22,264	15.7	299,723
1952	87	65	16.8	22.5	1,462	2.00	2,921	21,607	12.0	216,906
1953	101	91	18.0	20.0	1,820	1.35	3,549	21,903	14.6	278,058
RYE¹										
1945	121	80	6.6	10.0	800	1.19	952	4,157	12.8	23,708
1946	100	68	5.4	8.0	544	1.74	947	3,396	11.6	18,487
1947	78	47	6.0	10.0	470	2.17	1,020	3,678	12.8	25,497
1948	58	35	4.8	8.0	280	1.25	350	3,725	12.6	25,886
1949	38	23	5.4	9.0	207	1.00	207	3,293	11.6	18,102
1950	51	28	4.1	7.5	210	1.13	237	3,632	12.2	21,257
1951	59	27	3.7	8.0	216	1.52	328	3,579	12.5	21,301
1952	55	28	4.1	8.0	224	1.59	356	3,127	11.6	16,046
1953	58	29	4.0	8.0	232	1.15	267	3,298	13.0	17,998

¹ Acreage planted fall of preceding year.

**SORGHUMS, SWEETCLOVER SEED AND FIELD PEAS
ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1945-1953**

Year	COLORADO						UNITED STATES		
	Acreage (All Uses) Planted	Acreage Harvested	Yield Per Acre Harvested	Production	Price Per Bushel	Value	Acreage Harvested	Yield Per Acre Harvested	Production
	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bushels	Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bushels
ALL SORGHUMS FOR GRAIN									
1945----	705	180	14.9	2,682	1.14	3,057	6,324	15.2	96,063
1946----	613	191	13.0	2,483	1.26	3,129	6,669	15.9	106,025
1947----	490	160	15.0	2,400	1.82	4,368	5,480	17.0	93,217
1948----	500	192	17.0	3,264	1.22	3,982	7,317	18.0	131,384
1949----	645	308	17.2	5,298	1.14	6,040	6,592	22.5	148,299
1950----	645	103	12.0	1,236	1.20	1,483	10,335	22.6	233,278
1951----	819	229	12.0	2,748	1.38	3,792	8,487	18.9	160,195
1952----	639	112	8.0	896	1.47	1,317	5,061	16.4	83,024
1953----	748	167	10.5	1,754	1.20	2,105	6,137	17.8	109,022

ALL SORGHUMS FOR FORAGE

Year	1,000 Acres	Tons	1,000 Tons	Per Ton Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Acres	Tons	1,000 Tons
1945-----	460	1.10	506	9.80	4,959	7,357	1.30	9,543
1946-----	350	1.05	368	13.00	4,784	5,957	1.37	8,181
1947-----	304	1.15	350	14.00	4,900	4,690	1.23	5,666
1948-----	280	1.03	294	14.10	4,145	4,680	1.42	6,659
1949-----	301	1.07	322	11.50	3,703	3,633	1.58	5,729
1950-----	350	1.00	350	15.00	5,250	4,361	1.51	6,592
1951-----	467	1.05	490	18.00	8,820	4,660	1.39	6,455
1952-----	309	1.00	309	25.50	7,880	4,925	.88	4,358
1953-----	380	1.05	399	14.00	5,586	5,241	1.18	6,170

SWEETCLOVER SEED ¹

Year	1,000 Acres	Pounds	1,000 Pounds	Per 100 Lbs Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Acres	Pounds	1,000 Pounds
1945-----	12	190	2,300	10.00	230	243	129	32,120
1946-----	12	225	2,700	10.20	275	245	148	36,260
1947-----	10	220	2,200	10.50	231	229	145	33,260
1948-----	15	235	3,600	13.00	455	209	165	34,370
1949-----	10	255	2,500	13.80	345	361	155	55,790
1950-----	14	215	3,000	13.20	396	547	156	85,400
1951-----	7	200	1,400	10.70	150	309	159	48,990
1952-----	10	250	2,500	8.70	218	272	161	43,760
1953-----	8	185	1,480	8.20	121	235	152	35,585

FIELD PEAS

Year	COLORADO						UNITED STATES					
	Acreage		Yield Per Acre		Production ²		Price Per 100-Lb. Bag	Value	Acreage Planted	Yield Per Harvested Acre	Production ²	
	Planted for All Uses	Har- vested for Grain	Planted	Har- vested	Uncl'n'd	Cleaned					Uncl'n'd	Cleaned
	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Lbs.	Lbs.	1,000 Bags	1,000 Bags	Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Acres	Lbs.	1,000 Bags	1,000 Bags
1945--	33	23	627	900	207	186	3.55	660	549	1,142	5,915	5,365
1946--	23	16	522	750	120	101	5.20	525	515	1,358	6,679	6,074
1947--	35	21	540	900	189	165	4.65	767	544	1,232	6,322	5,795
1948--	24	19	792	1,000	190	169	4.00	676	315	1,221	3,640	3,298
1949--	19	16	1,026	1,220	195	176	2.35	414	383	907	3,212	2,920
1950--	15	5	320	950	48	43	3.45	148	256	1,376	3,206	2,951
1951--	18	4	167	750	30	27	5.00	135	327	1,296	3,810	3,521
1952--	15	8	533	1,000	50	74	4.50	333	228	1,237	2,610	2,377
1953--	12	6	550	1,100	66	61	3.25	198	280	1,279	3,350	2,974

¹ Yield, production and value, cleaned basis.

² Bag of 100 pounds each.

POTATOES, SUGAR BEETS, BROOMCORN, ALFALFA SEED AND DRY BEANS
ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1945-1953

Year	COLORADO							UNITED STATES				
	Acreage		Yield Per Acre		Production ¹	Price Per Bushel	Value	Acreage Planted	Yield Per Harv. Acre	Production ²		
	Planted	Harvested	Planted	Harv.							1,000 Bushels	1,000 Dollars
	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Bushels	Bushels	1,000 Bushels	Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bushels		
POTATOES												
1945	92	89	189	195	17,355	1.21	21,000	2,729	157.4	419,399		
1946	87	83	224	235	19,505	1.12	21,846	2,571	192.9	487,315		
1947	67	66	261	265	17,490	1.69	29,558	2,034	194.4	388,985		
1948	73	72	286	290	20,880	1.59	33,199	2,007	227.1	449,895		
1949	60	59	318	323	19,057	1.38	26,299	1,778	228.8	402,353		
1950	57	56	319	325	18,200	1.04	18,928	1,712	283.2	313,369		
1951	50	48	245	255	12,240	1.86	22,766	1,359	240.3	320,519		
1952	51	50	377	385	19,250	1.71	32,918	1,421	249.0	349,098		
1953	55	54	329	335	18,090	.85	15,376	1,532	247.8	373,711		
SUGAR BEETS												
Year	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Tons	Tons	1,000 Tons	(Ton) ¹ Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Acres	Tons	1,000 Tons		
1945	162	152	11.3	12.1	1,835	9.90	18,166	775	12.1	8,616		
1946	173	153	11.1	12.5	1,920	10.10	19,392	905	13.2	10,560		
1947	176	168	14.5	15.2	2,548	11.50	29,302	968	14.2	12,503		
1948	123	103	11.2	13.4	1,376	9.80	13,485	800	13.6	9,424		
1949	126	117	14.9	16.1	1,878	10.90	20,470	768	14.8	10,196		
1950	154	146	14.2	15.0	2,183	12.00	26,196	1,014	14.6	13,535		
1951	132	124	14.4	15.4	1,906	11.90	22,681	757	15.2	10,485		
1952	118	113	16.4	17.2	1,941	11.90	23,098	719	15.3	10,169		
1953	121	116	16.2	16.9	1,955	(^b)	(^b)	792	16.1	12,029		
BROOMCORN												
Year	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Pounds	Pounds	1,000 Tons	(Ton) Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Acres Harvested	Pounds	1,000 Tons		
1945	112	104	279	300	15.6	249.00	3,884	325	281	40.3		
1946	119	108	227	250	13.5	270.00	3,645	331	291	43.5		
1947	73	69	255	270	9.3	280.00	2,604	254	292	34.4		
1948	71	67	279	295	9.9	300.00	2,970	227	291	30.0		
1949	84	82	279	285	11.7	220.00	2,574	307	314	45.7		
1950	93	76	155	190	7.2	371.00	2,671	212	256	27.1		
1951	79	74	210	225	8.3	425.00	3,528	262	257	33.8		
1952	91	58	79	125	3.6	365.00	1,314	258	239	30.8		
1953	73	58	148	155	5.4	315.00	1,701	251	239	30.1		
ALFALFA SEED ¹												
Year	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Pounds	Pounds	1,000 Pounds	Per 100 Lbs. Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Acres Harvested	Pounds	1,000 Pounds		
1945	---	22	---	77	1,700	33.70	573	881	71	62,120		
1946	---	25	---	88	2,200	35.70	785	1,182	89	104,850		
1947	---	21	---	96	2,000	25.70	514	1,015	94	94,900		
1948	---	10	---	130	1,300	43.70	568	645	88	56,790		
1949	---	35	---	100	3,500	38.50	1,348	1,102	106	116,890		
1950	---	27	---	85	2,300	47.00	1,081	927	113	104,950		
1951	---	23	---	85	2,000	50.00	1,000	884	118	104,620		
1952	---	26	---	115	2,990	30.10	900	1,340	135	180,326		
1953	---	18	---	115	2,070	20.00	414	942	141	133,226		
DRY BEANS												
Year	COLORADO						UNITED STATES					
	Acreage		Yield Per Acre		Production ²		Price Per 100-Lb. Bag	Value	Acreage Planted	Yield Per Harv. Acre	Production ²	
	Pl't'd	Harv.	Pl't'd	Harv.	Uncl'n'd	Cleaned					Uncl'n'd	Cleaned
	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Pounds	Pounds	1,000 Bags	1,000 Bags	Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Acres	Lbs.	1,000 Bags	1,000 Bags
1945	290	271	542	580	1,572	1,493	5.50	8,212	1,659	880	13,091	11,950
1946	276	249	536	650	1,618	1,448	11.90	17,231	1,704	977	15,840	14,702
1947	331	321	776	800	2,568	2,396	10.10	24,200	1,856	971	17,268	15,829
1948	341	324	684	720	2,333	2,146	7.10	15,237	1,996	1,074	20,816	19,384
1949	307	295	788	820	2,419	2,274	6.50	14,781	1,936	1,134	21,379	19,863
1950	261	239	696	760	1,816	1,741	6.50	11,316	1,656	1,117	16,866	15,128
1951	230	203	680	770	1,563	1,469	6.70	9,842	1,519	1,232	17,341	15,879
1952	184	175	989	1,010	1,820	1,747	8.20	14,325	1,307	1,287	16,235	15,010
1953	234	224	972	1,015	2,274	2,160	7.90	17,064	1,437	1,296	18,114	16,761

¹ Price support payments are included. Government payments under the Sugar Act are not included.

² Bags of 100 pounds.

³ Not available.

⁴ Yield, production and value, cleaned basis.

DRY EDIBLE BEANS—PRODUCTION BY COMMERCIAL CLASSES, 1925-1953
(Thousand bags of 100 pounds each, cleaned basis 1944-1953, uncleaned 1925-1943)

Year	Pea (Navy)	Great North- ern	Other White	Pinto	Red Kid- ney	Pink	Small Red	Cran- berry	Yel- low- eye	Stand- ard Lima	Baby Lima	Other Classes	Total All Varieties
COLORADO													
1925	--	--	--	1,324	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	70	1,394
1926	9	9	--	816	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	26	860
1927	--	7	--	1,031	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	25	1,063
1928	--	41	--	946	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	23	1,010
1929	--	20	--	1,204	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	92	1,316
1930	--	73	--	2,469	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	131	2,673
1931	--	17	--	833	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	31	881
1932	--	5	--	401	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	7	413
1933	--	12	--	1,168	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	14	1,194
1934	--	4	--	367	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	5	376
1935	--	31	--	1,528	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	24	1,583
1936	--	8	--	1,140	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	60	1,208
1937	--	20	--	880	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	100	1,000
1938	--	16	--	1,529	--	--	--	--	--	--	54	27	1,626
1939	--	16	--	1,524	--	--	--	--	--	--	32	16	1,588
1940	--	20	--	1,886	--	--	--	--	--	--	39	20	1,965
1941	--	16	--	1,556	--	--	--	--	--	--	16	33	1,621
1942	--	48	--	1,703	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	60	1,811
1943	--	16	--	2,508	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	75	2,599
1944	--	8	--	1,595	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	57	1,660
1945	--	18	--	1,436	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	39	1,493
1946	--	--	--	1,419	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	29	1,448
1947	--	--	--	2,315	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	81	2,396
1948	--	--	--	2,060	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	86	2,146
1949	--	--	--	2,202	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	72	2,274
1950	--	--	--	1,687	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	54	1,741
1951	--	--	--	1,430	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	39	1,469
1952	--	--	--	1,747	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1,747
1953	--	--	--	2,160	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2,160
UNITED STATES													
1925	4,943	745	448	1,703	861	655	163	60	102	800	300	1,041	11,821
1926	4,317	940	304	1,287	697	599	113	73	95	1,250	580	781	11,036
1927	3,030	1,224	410	1,597	490	553	220	110	105	1,010	310	690	9,749
1928	3,357	1,387	556	1,402	642	575	282	106	93	890	401	880	10,571
1929	3,354	1,749	592	2,320	443	619	396	113	100	987	486	1,130	12,289
1930	3,143	2,019	708	3,280	378	625	524	128	82	1,102	696	1,656	14,341
1931	3,850	1,958	741	1,661	653	435	179	159	139	1,064	663	1,082	12,881
1932	5,396	994	386	819	467	515	254	94	79	872	322	763	10,961
1933	4,385	1,442	626	1,818	575	595	283	151	107	943	630	1,205	12,760
1934	4,389	1,087	684	586	559	485	272	242	176	1,072	708	1,139	11,399
1935	4,700	1,528	572	2,477	620	844	298	394	148	989	536	1,229	14,335
1936	2,664	1,603	630	1,850	697	448	252	228	114	1,119	876	1,340	11,821
1937	4,270	2,310	1,282	1,911	839	454	263	192	168	1,419	1,142	1,580	15,830
1938	4,717	1,909	782	2,339	992	637	295	274	191	1,395	918	1,255	15,704
1939	4,402	1,703	654	2,742	869	457	310	671	156	1,139	685	1,257	15,045
1940	4,291	1,900	826	3,628	699	875	374	280	102	1,290	875	1,805	16,945
1941	5,357	2,358	1,177	3,306	1,243	586	389	255	106	1,324	915	1,538	18,556
1942	5,393	3,096	1,038	3,324	924	572	361	299	146	1,355	825	1,654	18,987
1943	5,568	4,048	795	4,084	690	530	402	288	161	1,335	1,128	1,973	21,002
1944	4,422	2,477	527	2,892	570	281	296	118	111	1,096	961	1,293	15,044
1945	2,687	2,481	441	2,063	555	269	229	102	70	910	1,007	1,136	11,950
1946	3,814	3,440	414	2,105	1,231	333	307	76	87	782	1,055	1,058	14,702
1947	3,074	3,554	579	3,278	1,111	453	473	72	89	855	1,058	1,233	15,829
1948	4,476	4,039	891	3,091	1,742	556	496	135	128	1,144	984	1,702	19,383
1949	5,334	3,204	709	3,853	1,392	634	654	371	166	1,376	1,272	898	19,864
1950	3,356	1,724	578	3,623	1,123	336	486	133	124	1,225	1,132	1,288	15,128
1951	4,072	1,484	854	3,002	1,344	534	768	85	146	1,168	798	1,624	15,879
1952	3,412	1,927	695	3,168	1,421	393	605	108	180	1,360	430	1,311	15,010
1953	3,630	1,834	685	4,793	1,290	449	662	141	193	1,137	639	1,308	16,761

HAY—ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1946-1953

Year	COLORADO					UNITED STATES		
	Acres Harvested 1,000 Acres	Yield Per Acre Tons	Production 1,000 Tons	Price Per Ton Dollars	Value 1,000 Dollars	Acres Harvested 1,000 Acres	Yield Per Acre Tons	Production 1,000 Tons
ALL HAY								
1946	1,359	1.48	2,008	19.18	38,513	73,741	1.35	99,518
1947	1,356	1.64	2,219	16.60	36,835	74,666	1.35	100,576
1948	1,351	1.67	2,251	22.40 ¹	50,422	71,817	1.34	96,172
1949	1,401	1.64	2,293	20.30 ¹	46,548	71,464	1.33	95,055
1950	1,316	1.50	1,977	27.30 ¹	53,972	74,368	1.38	102,476
1951	1,291	1.57	2,026	32.60 ¹	66,048	74,442	1.45	107,991
1952	1,396	1.74	2,436	30.20 ¹	73,567	74,454	1.40	104,345
1953	1,413	1.72	2,436	21.00 ¹	51,156	73,918	1.42	105,300
ALFALFA HAY								
1946	612	2.05	1,255	21.50	26,982	14,187	2.19	31,092
1947	606	2.20	1,333	18.90	25,194	14,555	2.23	32,489
1948	624	2.25	1,404	16.30 ²	22,885	14,669	2.23	32,710
1949	636	2.24	1,425	14.40 ²	20,520	16,973	2.16	36,619
1950	604	2.10	1,268	19.30 ²	24,472	17,970	2.18	39,219
1951	610	2.20	1,342	22.70 ²	30,463	18,830	2.26	42,607
1952	689	2.40	1,654	29.80 ¹	49,289	18,913	2.23	42,230
1953	723	2.30	1,663	20.00 ¹	33,260	20,269	2.19	44,374
WILD HAY								
1946	439	.85	373	15.50	5,782	13,871	.83	11,516
1947	470	1.05	494	14.00	6,916	14,864	.90	13,389
1948	451	1.05	474	16.00 ²	7,584	14,535	.85	12,384
1949	474	1.02	483	14.50 ²	7,004	14,792	.82	12,091
1950	427	.90	384	19.30 ²	7,411	14,942	.80	12,015
1951	406	.85	345	22.70 ²	8,058	14,382	.84	12,145
1952	438	1.00	438	32.00 ¹	14,016	14,416	.75	10,827
1953	416	1.05	437	23.00 ¹	10,051	14,819	.82	12,216

¹ Price of hay sold baled.² Price of hay sold loose.APPLES, PEACHES, PEARS AND CHERRIES — PRODUCTION¹ AND VALUE, 1946-1953

Year	APPLES (Commercial Crop) ²			PEACHES		
	Production	Price Per Bushel	Value	Production	Price Per Bushel	Value
	1,000 Bushels	Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Bushels	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1946	1,100	2.30	2,484	1,985	2.20	4,367
1947	1,568	1.95	2,605	2,106	2.60	5,476
1948	1,380	2.20	3,036	1,922	1.75	3,364
1949	1,570	1.60	2,264	2,109	1.70	3,245
1950	882	2.40	2,030	1,219	2.70	3,291
1951	1,292	1.75	1,843	316	3.85	1,217
1952	1,320	2.05	2,706	2,053	2.30	4,014
1953	840	2.70	2,268	1,227	2.70	3,170

Year	PEARS			CHERRIES (All Varieties)		
	Production	Price Per Bushel	Value	Production	Price Per Ton	Value
	1,000 Bushels	Dollars	1,000 Dollars	Tons	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1946	87	2.50	218	3,450	268.00	924
1947	232	2.00	464	4,450	202.00	899
1948	155	2.75	426	5,530	166.00	920
1949	204	1.70	347	3,750	172.00	646
1950	160	2.55	408	1,830	171.00	313
1951	193	2.35	454	3,330	150.00	508
1952	208	2.25	468	2,070	179.00	371
1953	138	2.60	359	880	225.00	198

Year	CHERRIES (Sweet Varieties)			CHERRIES (Sour Varieties)		
	Production	Price Per Ton	Value	Production	Price Per Ton	Value
	Tons	Dollars	1,000 Dollars	Tons	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1946	300	370.00	111	3,000	260.00	780
1947	680	380.00	258	3,400	180.00	612
1948	820	320.00	262	4,300	150.00	645
1949	640	250.00	160	2,800	164.00	459
1950	230	388.00	89	1,600	140.00	224
1951	380	390.00	148	3,200	130.00	390
1952	1,020	220.00	224	1,050	140.00	147
1953	130	400.00	52	750	195.00	146

¹ In certain years, production includes some quantities not harvested because of economic conditions and, excluded in computing value.² Estimates of commercial apples relate to production in 7 commercial counties (Larimer, Delta, Garfield, Mesa, Montezuma, Montrose and Fremont), which produce about 95 percent of the total apples produced in the state.

**POTATOES, ACRES HARVESTED AND PRODUCTION, 1939-1953
LATE AND EARLY STATES**

Year	Colorado		29 Late States ¹		13 Early States ²	
	Acres Harvested 1000, Acres	Production 1,000 Bushels	Acres Harvested 1000, Acres	Production 1,000 Bushels	Acres Harvested 1000, Acres	Production 1,000 Bushels
1939	77	11,858	2,088	267,877	460	46,803
1940	67	13,065	2,109	294,558	467	48,831
1941	67	12,529	1,946	278,905	490	47,451
1942	72	15,840	1,909	284,386	498	53,044
1943	84	17,220	2,329	358,568	610	65,320
1944	85	18,190	1,986	303,308	542	57,525
1945	89	17,355	1,958	325,746	472	63,023
1946	83	19,505	1,808	369,966	496	81,653
1947	66	17,490	1,438	298,555	375	59,456
1948	72	20,880	1,437	352,974	366	65,018
1949	59	19,057	1,283	320,215	324	59,543
1950	56	18,200	1,225	338,659	330	63,797
1951	48	12,240	966	250,925	252	49,170
1952	50	19,250	1,042	282,591	254	52,448
1953	54	18,090	1,098	290,404	306	65,548

¹Includes Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Montana, Idaho, Wyoming, COLORADO, New Mexico, Utah, Nevada, Washington, Oregon, and California. (Early and late crops estimated separately for California; combined for all other states.)

²Includes North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Texas, Arizona, and California. (Early and late crops estimated separately for California; combined for all other states.) Prior to 1951, Arizona was carried in the Intermediate States group. For purposes of this table, acreage and production totals for Arizona in the years 1939-50 have been added into the Early States group to make data comparable.

**PEACH SHIPMENTS, 1930-1953
(Principally Mesa and Delta Counties)**

Year	Shipments by Rail Only ¹							Total Truck Ship- ments ¹ (Thou- sand Pounds)	Esti- mated Total Produc- tion (Thou- sand Bush- els)	
	Shipments Began— 25 or More Cars Per Day		Volume Shipments— 50 or More Cars Per Day	Shipments End— Fewer Than 10 Cars Per Day	Peak Day					Total Cars Shipped
	Date	Num- ber of Cars			Number of Days After First 25-Car Day	Date	Num- ber of Cars			
1930	Aug. 22	39	Aug. 23 thru Sept. 1	Sept. 17	6	Aug. 28	148	1,369	---	749
1931	Aug. 25	44	Aug. 26 thru Sept. 6	Sept. 25	7	Sept. 1	176	1,507	---	1,120
1932	Aug. 25	34	Aug. 26 thru Sept. 8	Sept. 23	5	Aug. 30	219	1,743	---	1,201
1933	R e c o r d		N o t A v a i l a b l e					847	---	562
1934	Aug. 9	33	Aug. 10 thru Aug. 21	Aug. 29	7	Aug. 16	215	1,923	9,361	1,210
1935	Aug. 26	35	Aug. 27 thru Sept. 6	Sept. 20	5	Aug. 31	188	1,878	14,452	1,280
1936	Aug. 18	29	Aug. 20 thru Sept. 2	Sept. 11	7	Aug. 25	195	1,991	14,734	1,345
1937	Aug. 25	27	Aug. 26 thru Sept. 8	Sept. 17	6	Aug. 31	208	2,163	21,441	1,583
1938	Aug. 25	29	Aug. 26 thru Sept. 7	Sept. 21	6	Aug. 31	177	1,825	27,350	1,599
1939	Aug. 22	32	Aug. 24 thru Sept. 1	Sept. 13	6	Aug. 28	218	1,630	17,634	1,575
1940	Aug. 15	37	Aug. 16 thru Aug. 28	Sept. 10	8	Aug. 23	250	2,409	23,870	1,950
1941	Aug. 28	38	Aug. 29 thru Sept. 6	Sept. 28	3	Aug. 31	287	1,801	21,367	1,516
1942	Aug. 25	28	Aug. 27 thru Sept. 8	Sept. 14	9	Sept. 3	219	2,011	15,985	1,490
1943	Aug. 16	35	Aug. 17 thru Aug. 29	Sept. 11	6	Aug. 22	236	2,609	18,072	1,978
1944	Aug. 31	103	Aug. 31 thru Sept. 12	Sept. 30	7	Sept. 6	264	2,760	18,870	2,112
1945	Aug. 27	44	Aug. 28 thru Sept. 9	Sept. 25	7	Sept. 3	274	3,141	16,126	2,372
1946	Aug. 19	39	Aug. 20 thru Aug. 31	Sept. 15	7	Aug. 26	266	2,455	18,603	1,985
1947	Aug. 21	25	Aug. 23 thru Sept. 13	Sept. 18	7	Aug. 28	276	2,720	14,924	2,106
1948	Aug. 24	56	Aug. 24 thru Sept. 4	Sept. 10	7	Aug. 31	299	2,510	13,882	1,922
1949	Aug. 25	40	Aug. 26 thru Sept. 4	Sept. 25	6	Aug. 31	350	2,650	15,416	2,109
1950	Aug. 21	44	Aug. 22 thru Aug. 31	Sept. 8	4	Aug. 25	232	1,615	11,314	1,219
1951	Aug. 27	34	Aug. 31 thru Sept. 1	Sept. 6	5	Sept. 1	64	456	2,020	316
1952	Aug. 24	25	Aug. 25 thru Sept. 10	Sept. 17	5	Aug. 29	208	2,343	15,787	2,053
1953	Aug. 25	40	Aug. 26 thru Sept. 5	Sept. 18	6-8	Aug.31-Sept.2	177	1,703	14,788	1,227

¹Compiled from reports of the Fruit and Vegetable Division of the Market News Service. A.M.S.

**GRAIN STOCKS ON FARMS
WHEAT**

CROP YEAR	Oct. 1		Jan. 1		April 1		July 1	
	Bu. (000)	% ¹	Bu. (000)	% ²	Bu. (000)	% ²	Bu. (000)	% ²
1938-39	9,200	48	6,900	36	4,792	25	2,300	12
1939-40	7,238	60	5,067	42	3,016	25	1,930	16
1940-41	6,671	54	4,942	40	4,077	33	1,853	15
1941-42	15,022	60	9,013	36	7,511	30	5,508	22
1942-43	18,362	67	15,073	55	9,318	34	4,659	17
1943-44	18,337	58	13,595	43	6,956	22	3,794	12
1944-45	9,253	52	6,940	39	4,626	26	1,246	7
1945-46	18,427	53	11,126	32	3,824	11	1,565	4
1946-47	21,155	56	13,222	35	4,155	11	944	2
1947-48	31,788	54	21,192	36	8,241	14	2,943	5
1948-49	26,392	46	21,802	38	13,770	24	1,721	3
1949-50	22,620	49	12,926	28	9,694	21	2,308	5
1950-51	15,502	42	12,180	33	9,965	27	2,953	8
1951-52	21,271	61	14,645	42	4,882	14	1,046	3
1952-53	23,480	42	19,566	35	13,417	24	2,516	4
1953-54	27,509	65	16,506	39	---	---	---	---

BARLEY

CROP YEAR	Oct. 1		Jan. 1		April 1		July 1	
	Bu. (000)	% ¹	Bu. (000)	% ²	Bu. (000)	% ²	Bu. (000)	% ²
1941-42	---	---	11,143	67	---	---	4,158	25
1942-43	---	---	9,964	63	---	---	2,372	15
1943-44	---	---	10,570	60	5,461	31	2,466	14
1944-45	12,429	80	10,254	66	6,214	40	2,796	18
1945-46	16,908	75	13,752	61	4,960	22	2,705	12
1946-47	9,755	70	7,665	55	3,902	28	1,812	13
1947-48	12,536	74	8,809	59	4,913	29	2,202	13
1948-49	11,682	73	7,741	61	4,363	31	2,111	15
1949-50	17,493	79	13,064	66	9,300	42	5,093	23
1950-51	6,675	70	4,959	52	3,398	35	1,621	17
1951-52	7,633	80	6,011	63	3,149	33	1,431	15
1952-53	7,658	77	4,737	55	2,497	29	1,033	12
1953-54	6,863	70	5,686	58	---	---	---	---

OATS

CROP YEAR	Oct. 1		Jan. 1		April 1		July 1	
	Bu. (000)	% ¹	Bu. (000)	% ²	Bu. (000)	% ²	Bu. (000)	% ²
1938-39	4,157	82	3,498	69	2,484	49	1,014	20
1939-40	3,143	82	1,916	50	1,265	33	613	16
1940-41	3,626	87	2,584	62	1,709	41	709	17
1941-42	4,687	80	3,984	68	2,402	41	996	17
1942-43	4,969	88	4,292	76	2,259	40	847	15
1943-44	4,779	82	4,196	72	2,273	39	932	16
1944-45	5,044	81	4,483	72	3,363	54	1,370	22
1945-46	5,953	82	5,082	70	2,831	39	1,525	21
1946-47	4,937	88	3,871	69	2,132	38	842	15
1947-48	5,525	85	4,680	72	2,665	41	1,235	19
1948-49	5,180	89	4,074	70	2,444	42	873	15
1949-50	6,378	83	5,302	69	3,304	43	1,614	21
1950-51	4,199	85	3,557	72	2,174	44	988	20
1951-52	4,409	85	3,838	74	1,919	37	830	16
1952-53	4,719	81	3,903	67	2,447	42	1,107	19
1953-54	4,569	88	3,375	65	---	---	---	---

CORN³

CROP YEAR	Jan. 1		April 1		July 1		Oct. 1	
	Bu. (000)	% ²						
1938	7,212	78	3,421	37	1,942	21	1,294	14
1939	3,026	59	1,282	25	410	8	282	6
1940	5,208	73	3,139	44	1,213	17	678	10
1941	10,484	87	5,182	43	2,290	19	1,145	10
1942	11,041	76	4,213	29	2,034	14	1,453	10
1943	7,030	65	3,461	32	1,622	15	865	8
1944	9,155	74	4,082	33	2,474	20	1,175	10
1945	8,125	73	2,671	24	1,336	12	890	8
1946	5,431	73	2,009	27	744	10	446	6
1947	6,813	78	2,708	31	1,485	17	786	9
1948	5,936	76	1,718	22	937	12	469	6
1949	9,367	79	3,913	33	1,304	11	711	6
1950	5,295	63	2,437	29	1,345	16	462	6
1951	6,919	74	3,086	33	1,169	12	654	7
1952	3,803	69	1,488	27	551	10	165	3
1953	4,880	71	---	---	---	---	---	---

¹ Stocks as a percentage of crop produced in current year (year of harvest).

² Stocks as a percentage of crop produced in first preceding year (year of harvest).

³ Percentages given are stocks as a percentage of the amount of corn harvested "for grain."

OFF FARM GRAIN STOCKS
(Thousand Bushels)
CORN—ALL COMMERCIAL STOCKS¹

CROP YEAR ²	January 1	April 1	July 1	October 1
	In Thousands of Bushels (000 Omitted)			
1943	116	492	180	116
1944	335	335	285	125
1945	487	1,189	254	162
1946	563	451	128	126
1947	513	498	272	224
1948	499	542	270	149
1949	691	265	341	201
1950	1,690	1,510	1,164	927
1951	2,347	2,298	1,441	880
1952	1,738	1,644	784	482
1953	1,763	892	420	238
1954	942	---	---	---

WHEAT

CROP YEAR	In Elevators ³				In Merchant Mills			
	Oct. 1	Jan. 1	April 1	July 1	Oct. 1	Jan. 1	April 1	July 1
	In Thousands of Bushels (000 Omitted)							
1934-35	1,750	1,600	1,700	490	---	---	---	---
1935-36	2,000	1,850	900	295	---	---	---	---
1936-37	3,250	2,300	630	100	---	---	---	---
1937-38	3,700	3,200	2,200	875	---	---	---	---
1938-39	3,700	3,200	2,600	1,020	---	---	---	---
1939-40	3,100	2,500	1,500	520	---	---	---	---
1940-41	2,700	2,500	1,580	450	---	---	---	---
1941-42	3,700	3,500	2,680	1,620	---	---	---	---
1942-43	4,200	3,700	2,800	1,600	---	---	---	---
1943-44	4,300	2,700	1,200	300	---	---	---	---
1944-45	3,130	1,780	1,290	163	---	---	---	---
1945-46	3,520	2,355	930	77	2,057	1,783	1,268	144
1946-47	3,200	2,010	740	124	2,427	2,450	1,465	457
1947-48	5,676	3,599	2,946	1,192	2,389	2,400	1,559	923
1948-49	4,531	5,388	4,807	1,861	2,885	2,975	1,995	836
1949-50	8,397	8,393	6,854	4,848	2,694	2,381	1,790	772
1950-51	11,933	10,299	6,838	1,327	2,639	2,612	2,145	2,372
1951-52	8,634	6,834	2,964	702	3,398	2,833	1,958	566
1952-53	14,764	14,532	11,941	11,309	3,574	2,640	2,560	1,821
1953-54	17,947	15,919	---	---	3,296	2,729	---	---

BARLEY AND OATS—ALL COMMERCIAL STOCKS¹

CROP YEAR	Barley				Oats			
	Oct. 1	Jan. 1	April 1	July 1	Oct. 1	Jan. 1	April 1	July 1
	In Thousands of Bushels (000 Omitted)							
1943-44	840	500	443	360	155	175	130	76
1944-45	845	656	554	318	230	176	198	98
1945-46	1,182	875	423	153	202	310	226	103
1946-47	686	655	533	257	150	206	144	98
1947-48	1,381	934	675	234	306	365	233	80
1948-49	1,119	834	554	396	160	256	175	134
1949-50	1,685	1,501	1,458	1,167	345	427	356	153
1950-51	2,349	2,532	1,911	1,113	226	386	312	235
1951-52	2,121	1,932	1,231	805	517	403	349	190
1952-53	1,656	1,156	892	482	557	337	492	211
1953-54	2,365	1,574	---	---	342	346	---	---

¹ Includes stocks in country mills, elevators, warehouses, merchant mills and small allowances for stocks in other storages.

² Year shown refers to year of storage. For example: The 1,738,000 bushels shown as in storage January 1, 1952, was produced in 1951 or earlier.

³ Does not include stocks in merchant mills or bins owned by Commodity Credit Corporation.

COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES—ACRES HARVESTED FOR PROCESSING IN 1952

(Principal Producing Counties)

COUNTY	Snap Beans	Cabbage	Cucumbers	Green Peas	Tomatoes	Total
Adams	170	70	380	40	190	850
Boulder	50	--	80	550	130	810
Larimer	170	--	900	750	--	1,820
Logan	--	--	80	--	--	80
Morgan	--	--	80	--	--	80
Weld	870	90	900	1,680	480	4,020
Bent	--	--	--	--	120	120
Crowley	--	--	30	--	300	330
Otero	60	--	600	180	350	1,190
Pueblo	--	--	250	--	30	280
Delta	20	--	--	--	130	150
Mesa	--	--	100	--	840	940
Montrose	60	--	--	--	30	90
State Total	1,400	160	3,400	3,200	2,600	10,760

COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES—ACRES HARVESTED FOR MARKET IN 1952

(Principal Commercial Counties)

County	Snap Beans	Cabbage	Cantaloupes	Carrots	Cauliflower	Celery	Sweet Corn	Lettuce	Onions	Green Peas	Spinach	Tomatoes	Total
Adams	150	850	150	720	290	630	900	530	550	30	50	110	4,960
Arapahoe	--	80	--	20	10	20	60	40	30	--	10	--	270
Boulder	10	100	10	10	--	20	50	50	80	10	--	20	360
Jefferson	50	80	10	100	40	170	640	60	20	--	20	60	1,250
Larimer	10	20	--	10	--	10	--	--	10	--	--	20	80
Logan	10	20	--	10	10	--	20	10	60	--	--	20	160
Morgan	--	20	10	10	10	--	20	--	300	--	--	20	390
Sedgwick	--	--	10	--	--	--	--	--	100	--	--	--	110
Weld	200	800	120	60	20	50	100	130	850	20	20	320	2,690
Total Denver and Northern Area	430	1,970	310	940	380	900	1,790	820	2,000	60	100	570	10,270
Chaffee	--	10	--	--	--	--	10	50	--	--	--	--	70
Bent	--	--	100	--	--	--	20	10	200	--	--	100	430
Crowley	--	--	250	--	--	--	10	--	150	--	--	180	590
Custer	--	10	--	--	--	--	--	10	--	--	--	--	20
El Paso	--	40	--	20	--	--	300	10	--	--	--	--	370
Fremont	40	40	10	20	100	60	80	170	20	--	30	20	590
Otero	20	10	450	10	10	10	40	20	1,200	20	--	270	2,060
Prowers	--	--	50	--	10	--	20	40	230	--	--	10	360
Pueblo	330	120	470	190	100	100	800	120	700	120	20	190	3,260
Total Pueblo and Arkansas Valley Area	390	230	1,330	240	220	170	1,280	430	2,500	140	50	770	7,750
Alamosa	--	780	--	80	400	--	--	900	--	140	--	--	2,300
Concejos	--	500	--	100	250	--	--	870	--	900	10	--	2,630
Costilla	--	550	--	130	300	--	--	660	--	60	70	--	1,770
Mineral	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	--	--	50
Rio Grande	--	150	--	50	50	--	--	800	--	500	20	--	1,570
Saguache	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	200	--	--	200
Total San Luis Valley Area	--	1,980	--	360	1,000	--	--	3,280	--	1,800	100	--	8,520
Bagle	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	10	--	--	--	--	10
Garfield	--	--	--	--	--	--	20	10	--	--	--	20	50
Grand	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	250	--	--	150	--	400
Routt	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	150	--	--	300	--	450
Teller	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--	--	20
Delta	10	10	10	10	--	10	20	10	360	--	--	60	500
Mesa	10	10	150	40	--	20	70	10	140	--	--	150	600
Montrose	10	--	--	10	--	--	20	10	500	--	--	30	580
Total Mountain and Western Slope Area	30	20	160	60	--	30	130	470	1,000	--	450	260	2,610
State Total	850	4,200	1,800	1,600	1,600	1,100	3,200	5,000	5,500	2,000	700	1,600	29,150

COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES—ACRES HARVESTED FOR PROCESSING IN 1953

(Principal Producing Counties)

COUNTY	Snap Beans	Cabbage	Cucumbers	Green Peas	Tomatoes	Total
Adams -----	210	50	330	50	180	820
Boulder -----	40	--	80	600	100	820
Larimer -----	200	--	500	850	--	1,550
Logan -----	--	--	70	--	--	70
Morgan -----	--	--	70	--	--	70
Weld -----	950	50	820	1,900	420	4,140
Bent -----	--	--	--	--	100	100
Crowley -----	--	--	30	--	300	330
Otero -----	--	--	800	100	600	1,500
Pueblo -----	--	--	150	--	70	220
Delta -----	30	--	--	--	100	130
Mesa -----	--	--	100	--	700	800
Montrose -----	70	--	--	--	30	100
State Total -----	1,500	100	2,950	3,500	2,600	10,650

COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES—ACRES HARVESTED FOR MARKET IN 1953

(Principal Commercial Counties—Preliminary)

County	Snap Beans	Cabbage	Cantaloupes	Carrots	Cauliflower	Celery	Sweet Corn	Lettuce	Onions	Green Peas	Spinach	Tomatoes	Total
Adams -----	150	900	150	840	280	590	1,040	600	630	50	50	110	5,390
Arapahoe -----	--	80	--	20	10	20	70	40	30	--	10	--	280
Boulder -----	20	120	10	30	10	20	60	80	140	10	--	30	530
Jefferson -----	40	80	10	100	40	150	650	60	20	--	20	60	1,230
Larimer -----	10	20	--	10	--	10	--	--	20	--	--	20	90
Logan -----	10	20	--	10	10	--	20	10	60	--	--	20	160
Morgan -----	--	20	10	10	10	--	20	--	200	--	--	20	290
Sedgwick -----	--	--	10	--	--	--	--	--	70	--	--	--	80
Weld -----	190	750	120	70	20	50	100	130	830	20	20	320	2,620
Total Denver and Northern Area -----	420	1,990	310	1,090	380	840	1,960	920	2,000	80	100	580	10,670
Chaffee -----	--	10	--	--	--	--	10	50	--	--	--	--	70
Bent -----	--	--	150	--	--	--	20	20	350	--	--	100	640
Crowley -----	--	--	200	--	--	--	10	--	130	--	--	130	520
Custer -----	--	10	--	--	--	--	--	10	--	--	--	--	20
El Paso -----	--	40	--	30	--	--	350	10	--	--	--	--	430
Fremont -----	30	50	10	20	90	50	100	150	20	--	10	20	550
Las Animas -----	--	--	--	10	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	10
Otero -----	20	10	420	10	10	10	50	30	1,350	20	--	270	2,200
Prowers -----	--	--	30	--	10	--	20	40	200	--	--	10	310
Pueblo -----	250	120	470	180	90	70	860	180	750	100	60	190	3,320
Total Pueblo and Arkansas Valley Area -----	300	240	1,280	250	200	130	1,420	490	2,800	120	70	770	8,070
Alamosa -----	--	850	--	100	400	--	--	950	--	150	--	--	2,450
Conejos -----	--	550	--	100	230	--	--	900	--	900	10	--	2,690
Costilla -----	--	600	--	150	250	--	--	730	--	50	190	--	1,970
Mineral -----	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--	--	20
Rio Grande -----	--	150	--	50	40	--	--	200	--	450	10	--	900
Saguache -----	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	50
Total San Luis Valley Area -----	--	2,150	--	400	920	--	--	2,800	--	1,600	210	--	8,080
Eagle -----	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	10	--	--	--	--	10
Garfield -----	--	--	--	--	--	--	20	10	--	--	--	20	50
Grand -----	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	190	--	--	70	--	260
Routt -----	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	130	--	--	350	--	480
Teller -----	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--	--	20
Delta -----	10	10	10	10	--	10	20	10	360	--	--	50	460
Mesa -----	10	10	100	40	--	20	60	10	140	--	--	150	540
Montrose -----	10	--	--	10	--	--	20	10	600	--	--	30	680
Total Mountain and Western Slope Area -----	30	20	110	60	--	30	120	390	1,100	--	420	250	2,530
State Total -----	750	4,400	1,700	1,800	1,500	1,000	3,500	4,600	5,900	1,800	800	1,600	29,350

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

ONIONS—ACRES AND PRODUCTION BY AREAS, 1939-1953

Year	Northern Colorado				Western Slope			
	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre 50-lb. Sacks	Production 50-lb. Sacks (000)	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre 50-lb. Sacks	Production 50-lb. Sacks (000)
1939	1,250	1,100	480	528	1,800	1,700	440	748
1940	950	900	460	414	1,450	1,400	450	630
1941	900	900	540	486	1,250	1,200	530	636
1942	1,300	1,200	500	600	1,400	1,400	470	658
1943	1,700	1,600	430	688	1,500	1,400	490	686
1944	3,200	3,000	490	1,470	2,100	2,000	500	1,000
1945	2,500	2,400	450	1,080	1,700	1,600	430	688
1946	2,200	1,900	500	950	1,500	1,300	520	676
1947	1,900	1,800	500	900	1,400	1,300	540	702
1948	2,400	2,000	430	860	1,400	1,300	550	715
1949	3,300	3,000	550	1,650	1,400	1,300	460	600
1950	3,200	3,000	400	1,200	1,400	1,300	485	630
1951	2,800	2,500	500	1,245	1,500	1,300	450	585
1952	2,200	2,000	560	1,120	1,100	1,000	550	550
1953	2,200	2,000	500	1,000	1,200	1,100	550	605

Year	Arkansas Valley				State			
	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre 50-lb. Sacks	Production 50-lb. Sacks (000)	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre 50-lb. Sacks	Production 50-lb. Sacks (000)
1939	4,350	4,100	530	2,174	7,400	6,900	500	3,450
1940	3,600	3,400	465	1,578	6,000	5,700	460	2,622
1941	4,250	4,200	725	3,036	6,400	6,300	660	4,158
1942	5,100	4,800	570	2,735	7,800	7,400	540	3,996
1943	6,500	6,300	565	3,555	9,700	9,300	530	4,929
1944	11,200	10,500	450	4,738	16,500	15,500	465	7,208
1945	9,800	9,500	410	3,902	14,000	13,500	420	5,670
1946	10,800	10,300	550	5,664	14,500	13,500	540	7,290
1947	8,300	7,900	410	3,238	11,600	11,000	440	4,840
1948	8,200	7,700	510	3,925	12,000	11,000	500	5,500
1949	7,500	7,000	485	3,400	12,200	11,300	500	5,650
1950	7,800	6,700	400	2,680	12,400	11,000	410	4,510
1951	6,300	5,000	250	1,250	10,600	8,800	350	3,080
1952	2,700	2,500	485	1,218	6,000	5,500	525	2,888
1953	3,200	2,800	480	1,345	6,600	5,900	500	2,950

ONIONS—PERCENT OF ACRES PLANTED TO EACH VARIETY, 1941-1953

Year	Northern Colorado			Western Slope			Arkansas Valley		
	Yellow Spanish	White Spanish	Danvers	Yellow Spanish	White Spanish	Danvers	Yellow Spanish	White Spanish	Danvers
	Percent			Percent			Percent		
1941	75	25	--	47	10	43	90	7	3
1942	75	23	2	37	7	56	89	11	--
1943	75	20	5	57	6	37	89	10	1
1944	89	10	1	58	5	37	94	5	1
1945	92	7	1	53	7	40	89	6	5
1946	89	11	--	68	5	27	88	12	--
1947	90	4	6	79	3	18	92	8	--
1948	81	16	3	31	6	63	93	6	1
1949	75	25	--	28	17	55	78	22	--
1950	63	36	1	19	21	60	81	18	1
1951	71	26	3	20	13	67	85	15	--
1952	60	22	18	10	15	75	80	20	--
1953	69	17	14	20	13	67	75	25	--

**BEANS, CABBAGE, CANTALOUPS, AND CARROTS—
ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1945-1953**

Year	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production ¹	Price Per Unit	Value
	Acres	Tons	Tons	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
BEANS, SNAP FOR MANUFACTURE					
1945	1,200	3.0	3,600	79.50	286
1946	1,100	3.0	3,300	80.60	266
1947	1,200	2.8	3,400	96.30	327
1948	1,400	3.1	4,300	94.90	408
1949	1,500	4.0	6,000	94.40	566
1950	1,300	3.9	5,100	84.70	432
1951	1,300	3.0	3,900	76.00	296
1952	1,400	3.6	5,000	90.50	452
1953	1,500	3.6	5,400	95.70	517

BEANS, SNAP FOR MARKET

Year	Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bushels	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1945	1,200	110	132	2.60	343
1946	1,100	160	176	2.05	361
1947	1,000	130	130	2.40	312
1948	1,000	150	150	2.30	345
1949	1,000	120	120	2.20	264
1950	1,000	160	160	2.00	256
1951	750	150	112	2.40	269
1952	850	150	128	2.65	339
1953	750	150	112	2.60	291

CABBAGE—ALL

Year	Acres	Tons	Tons	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1945	5,680	12.0	68,000	16.39	1,054
1946	5,040	12.4	62,300	20.59	1,283
1947	4,770	14.1	67,100	32.88	2,206
1948	5,300	11.7	61,800	15.04	758
1949	4,930	14.0	68,800	20.89	1,437
1950	5,050	12.9	65,200	10.83	379
1951	4,580	12.1	55,200	30.62	1,690
1952	4,360	13.0	56,500	36.25	2,048
1953	4,500	13.0	58,500	35.95	2,103

CANTALOUPS

Year	Acres	Crates	1,000 J. Crates	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1945	3,800	100	380	2.55	969
1946	4,100	80	328	1.85	607
1947	3,900	110	429	1.95	837
1948	4,100	100	410	1.40	406
1949	3,500	95	332	1.40	378
1950	2,400	100	240	1.45	261
1951	1,500	100	150	2.05	308
1952	1,800	120	216	1.90	410
1953	1,700	120	204	2.15	439

CARROTS

Year	Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bushels	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1945	1,800	250	450	1.30	585
1946	1,500	250	375	1.00	275
1947	1,400	275	385	1.50	578
1948	1,600	275	440	1.00	392
1949	1,300	250	325	1.20	390
1950	1,400	250	350	1.05	368
1951	1,500	250	375	1.80	675
1952	1,600	270	432	1.40	605
1953	1,800	250	450	1.50	675

¹ In certain years production includes some quantities not harvested because of economic conditions and excluded in computing value.

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

CAULIFLOWER, CELERY, CUCUMBERS, LETTUCE, AND ONIONS—
ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1945-1953

Year	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production ¹	Price Per Unit	Value
	Acres	Crates	1,000 Crates	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
CAULIFLOWER					
1945	3,650	260	949	.90	854
1946	3,200	280	896	.95	851
1947	3,400	300	1,020	1.05	1,071
1948	3,200	275	880	.85	703
1949	2,800	300	840	.95	798
1950	2,700	275	742	.75	482
1951	2,100	275	578	1.30	751
1952	1,600	350	560	1.10	616
1953	1,500	350	525	.80	420

Year	Acres	CELERY			1,000 Dollars
		½ Crates	1,000 ½ Crates	Dollars	
1945	1,300	485	630	3.70	2,331
1946	1,500	500	750	2.20	1,368
1947	1,200	500	600	3.30	1,930
1948	1,200	485	582	1.80	1,048
1949	1,300	520	676	1.85	986
1950	1,000	520	520	1.75	910
1951	1,000	500	500	1.85	925
1952	1,100	500	550	2.10	1,155
1953	1,000	475	475	2.20	1,045

Year	Acres	CUCUMBERS, FOR PICKLES			1,000 Dollars
		Bushels	1,000 Bushels	Dollars	
1945	1,600	142	227	.94	213
1946	2,500	173	432	1.55	670
1947	2,300	187	430	1.20	516
1948	2,700	192	518	1.45	751
1949	2,700	225	608	1.85	1,125
1950	2,500	224	560	1.45	812
1951	2,600	200	520	1.40	728
1952	3,400	240	816	1.30	1,061
1953	2,950	234	690	1.35	932

Year	Acres	LETTUCE			1,000 Dollars
		Crates	1,000 Crates	Dollars	
1945	4,200	130	546	2.20	1,201
1946	4,300	115	494	1.80	889
1947	4,600	130	598	2.75	1,644
1948	6,400	120	768	2.00	840
1949	5,200	125	650	2.55	1,275
1950	6,000	130	780	1.30	422
1951	5,000	115	575	2.00	1,000
1952	5,000	120	600	1.70	1,020
1953	4,600	120	532	2.95	1,623

Year	Acres	ONIONS			1,000 Dollars
		50-lb Sacks	1,000 50-lb Sacks	Dollars	
1945	13,500	420	5,670	1.40	7,938
1946	13,500	540	7,290	.60	3,240
1947	11,000	440	4,840	2.10	10,164
1948	11,000	500	5,500	.80	4,160
1949	11,300	560	5,650	1.35	7,623
1950	11,000	410	4,510	.70	2,520
1951	8,800	350	3,080	1.40	4,312
1952	5,500	525	2,888	2.10	6,065
1953	5,900	590	2,950	.70	2,065

¹ In certain years production includes some quantities not harvested because of economic conditions and excluded in computing value.

PEAS, SPINACH, AND TOMATOES—ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1945-1953

Year	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production ¹	Price Per Unit	Value
	Acres	Pounds	Tons	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
PEAS, GREEN FOR MANUFACTURE					
1945.....	4,770	1,700	4,050	72.40	293
1946.....	4,100	1,420	2,910	73.10	213
1947.....	3,900	2,100	4,100	77.00	316
1948.....	3,500	1,670	2,920	76.90	225
1949.....	4,100	1,970	4,040	73.80	298
1950.....	3,800	1,950	3,700	69.50	257
1951.....	3,500	2,480	4,340	75.50	323
1952.....	3,200	1,970	3,150	84.20	265
1953.....	3,500	1,470	2,570	86.40	222

PEAS, GREEN FOR MARKET

Year	Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bushels	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1945.....	12,500	100	1,250	2.00	2,500
1946.....	12,000	75	900	1.55	1,395
1947.....	10,000	90	900	1.50	1,350
1948.....	6,400	100	640	1.75	1,120
1949.....	5,500	105	573	1.35	780
1950.....	3,700	86	296	1.80	533
1951.....	2,500	55	138	2.20	304
1952.....	2,000	90	180	1.75	315
1953.....	1,800	85	153	1.95	295

SPINACH

Year	Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bushels	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1945.....	3,200	200	640	.85	544
1946.....	2,300	160	368	.75	264
1947.....	1,900	135	352	.85	252
1948.....	1,700	160	272	1.10	220
1949.....	1,500	160	240	1.00	210
1950.....	1,500	160	240	1.20	180
1951.....	1,200	210	252	1.10	182
1952.....	700	180	126	1.10	139
1953.....	800	200	160	1.10	176

TOMATOES FOR MANUFACTURE

Year	Acres	Tons	Tons	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1945.....	4,900	6.2	30,400	24.10	733
1946.....	4,800	6.0	28,800	25.00	720
1947.....	4,300	8.4	36,100	24.00	866
1948.....	3,100	7.4	22,900	23.60	540
1949.....	2,900	6.3	19,700	21.70	427
1950.....	3,000	6.7	20,100	20.90	420
1951.....	3,400	7.2	24,500	26.80	657
1952.....	2,600	9.8	25,500	25.60	653
1953.....	2,600	10.2	26,500	26.70	708

TOMATOES FOR MARKET

Year	Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bushels	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1945.....	2,700	250	675	1.95	1,316
1946.....	2,700	280	756	2.00	1,512
1947.....	2,700	300	810	1.80	1,458
1948.....	2,000	240	480	1.55	620
1949.....	1,700	240	408	1.60	653
1950.....	1,500	270	405	1.75	709
1951.....	1,500	225	338	2.35	794
1952.....	1,600	300	480	2.30	1,104
1953.....	1,600	300	480	1.70	816

¹ In certain years production includes some quantities not harvested because of economic conditions and excluded in computing value.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES—INSPECTED FOR SHIPMENT BY MOTOR TRUCKS ¹

APPLES					CAULIFLOWER			
DISTRICT ²	1949-50	1950-51	1951-52	1952-53	1949-50	1950-51	1951-52	1952-53
		(Thousand Pounds)				(Thousand Pounds)		
Western Colorado	13,470	6,730	4,261	12,195	---	---	78	---
Denver	115	---	---	---	162	---	---	---
Platte Valley	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Arkansas Valley	7	12	---	---	---	---	32	---
San Luis Valley	1,795	91	3,312	1,133	643	1,180	640	378
Total	15,387	6,833	7,573	13,328	805	1,180	750	378
PEACHES					LETTUCE			
DISTRICT	1949-50	1950-51	1951-52	1952-53	1949-50	1950-51	1951-52	1952-53
		(Thousand Pounds)				(Thousand Pounds)		
Western Colorado	15,368	11,314	2,020	14,685	---	---	---	---
Denver	2	---	---	6	976	10	52	33
Platte Valley	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Arkansas Valley	43	---	---	194	32	---	---	---
San Luis Valley	3	---	---	902	1,938	1,479	1,422	3,390
Total	15,416	11,314	2,020	15,787	2,946	1,489	1,474	3,423
PEARS					MIXED VEGETABLES			
DISTRICT	1949-50	1950-51	1951-52	1952-53	1949-50	1950-51	1951-52	1952-53
		(Thousand Pounds)				(Thousand Pounds)		
Western Colorado	4,633	1,655	2,225	2,324	108	10	220	199
Denver	---	---	---	---	35,492	1,201	4,929	6,180
Platte Valley	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Arkansas Valley	---	---	---	---	532	71	213	1,726
San Luis Valley	---	---	---	---	4,451	1,847	3,605	2,748
Total	4,633	1,655	2,225	2,324	40,583	3,129	8,967	10,853
MIXED FRUIT					ONIONS			
DISTRICT	1949-50	1950-51	1951-52	1952-53	1949-50	1950-51	1951-52	1952-53
		(Thousand Pounds)				(Thousand Pounds)		
Western Colorado	1,925	1,270	305	1,473	859	949	389	762
Denver	20	---	---	---	10,501	1,673	15,190	14,073
Platte Valley	---	---	---	---	*	*	*	*
Arkansas Valley	---	---	---	---	41,783	2,153	33,686	44,454
San Luis Valley	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total	1,945	1,270	305	1,473	53,123	4,775	49,263	59,289
CABBAGE					POTATOES			
DISTRICT	1949-50	1950-51	1951-52	1952-53	1949-50	1950-51	1951-52	1952-53
		(Thousand Pounds)				(Thousand Pounds)		
Western Colorado	---	---	---	---	6,401	3,490	2,308	1,433
Denver	7,396	1,443	11,446	6,415	123,112	177,298	141,567	178,739
Platte Valley	---	---	---	---	*	*	*	*
Arkansas Valley	---	---	93	---	1,646	3,052	2,570	3,299
San Luis Valley	5,850	1,352	4,300	6,504	128,957	121,845	117,593	200,722
Total	13,246	2,795	15,839	12,919	260,115	305,685	264,038	384,193
CANTALOUPS					TOMATOES			
DISTRICT	1949-50	1950-51	1951-52	1952-53	1949-50	1950-51	1951-52	1952-53
		(Thousand Pounds)				(Thousand Pounds)		
Western Colorado	32	58	---	78	4	41	22	---
Denver	30	---	80	---	---	---	---	---
Platte Valley	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Arkansas Valley	5,325	114	2,829	5,211	50	337	---	74
San Luis Valley	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total	5,387	172	2,909	5,289	54	378	22	74

¹ Compiled from reports of the Fruit and Vegetable Inspection Service.² For some crops the inspection district does not indicate the area of production.

* Denver and Platte Valley Districts are combined.

CERTIFIED SEED POTATOES, 1953 (Varieties, by Counties) ¹

COUNTY	Red McClure		Russet Burbank		Bliss Triumph		Pontiac		Katahdin		All Other Varieties	
	Acres	Bushels	Acres	Bushels	Acres	Bushels	Acres	Bushels	Acres	Bushels	Acres	Bushels
Eagle	---	---	8	2,499	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Moffat	---	---	---	---	---	---	2	333	---	---	---	---
Pitkin	---	---	11	1,832	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Routt	---	---	2	230	---	---	18	2,983	8	1,333	14	1,246
Total Northwest District	---	---	21	4,561	---	---	20	3,316	8	1,333	14	1,246
Morgan	---	---	5	1,666	8	2,249	4	1,250	---	---	15	4,499
Sedgwick	---	---	40	11,313	124	32,848	87	27,422	10	2,833	126	26,205
Weld	---	---	248	117,518	201	85,785	124	60,760	82	33,864	211	83,145
Total N. Central & N. E. District	---	---	293	130,497	333	120,882	215	89,132	92	36,697	352	113,849
Archuleta	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Dolores	---	---	---	---	---	---	21	4,582	---	---	40	4,652
La Plata	---	---	---	---	---	---	6	333	---	---	---	---
Montezuma	---	---	---	---	---	---	22	7,625	---	---	9	2,166
Montrose	---	---	---	---	---	---	6	1,500	---	---	---	---
Total W. Central & S. W. District	---	---	---	---	---	---	55	14,040	---	---	49	6,818
Alamosa	110	48,588	5	2,625	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Conejos	25	15,416	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Costilla	154	64,166	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Rio Grande	1,722	800,069	99	36,106	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Saguache	164	71,614	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total S. Central District	2,175	999,853	104	38,731	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
State Total	2,175	999,853	418	173,789	333	120,882	290	106,788	100	38,030	415	121,913

¹ Compiled from reports of the Seed Certification Service, Colorado A. & M. College.

CERTIFIED SEED POTATOES (State Totals)

VARIETY	Production 1953, Varieties			Production All Varieties 1938-1953	
	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre (Bushels)	Production (Bushels)	Year	Bushels
Red McClure	2,175	460	999,853	1938	489,000
Russet Burbank	418	416	173,789	1939	707,000
Bliss Triumph	333	363	120,882	1940	837,000
Pontiac	290	368	106,788	1941	458,000
Irish Cobbler	149	314	43,971	1942	972,000
Russet Rural	110	318	35,021	1943	751,000
Katahdin	100	380	38,030	1944	1,212,000
Red Warba	47	207	9,733	1945	1,116,000
Progress	37	252	9,324	1946	1,302,000
De Soto	33	379	12,523	1947	1,526,000
White Rose	23	200	4,591	1948	1,843,000
Rural New Yorker	19	293	5,559	1949	1,747,000
La Soda	2	283	566	1950	1,481,000
White Cloud	2	188	375	1951	1,264,000
Kenebeck	1	250	250	1952	1,661,000
				1953	1,561,000
	3,731		1,561,255		

POTATOES—MONTHLY CARLOT SHIPMENTS, BY CROP YEARS ¹

SEASON	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Total
1944-45	297	2,692	3,599	2,413	1,520	1,542	1,198	937	1,050	243	30	6	15,527
1945-46	815	2,289	3,043	2,117	1,233	856	1,486	1,318	1,020	679	212	17	15,085
1946-47	726	2,902	2,451	1,936	1,239	1,115	1,393	1,466	1,345	575	78	2	15,228
1947-48	483	2,960	2,858	1,850	1,204	997	1,336	940	818	744	78	3	14,271
1948-49	853	3,583	3,354	3,463	1,212	1,465	1,776	1,738	1,879	379	22	--	19,724
1949-50	173	1,847	1,379	1,918	1,382	1,367	2,117	1,470	1,449	1,008	156	1	14,267
1950-51	99	1,211	1,714	1,250	907	860	1,076	929	1,011	841	414	25	10,337
1951-52	29	996	949	1,059	880	909	868	998	1,091	253	16	--	8,048
1952-53	335	1,480	1,762	2,308	1,171	1,374	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

¹ Compiled from reports of the Fruit & Vegetable Division of the Market News Service, A. M. S.

SEASON AVERAGE PRICES
Principal Commodities for Recent and Selected Earlier Years
(Dollars per unit)

CROP	Unit	1919	1929	1939	1942	1945	1947	1948	1949	1951	1952	1953 ^a
Corn -----	Bushel	1.42	.71	.62	.89	1.19	2.17	1.33	1.27	1.84	1.63	1.60
Oats -----	Bushel	.90	.47	.36	.48	.66	1.04	.76	.70	.99	.98	.81
Barley -----	Bushel	1.20	.65	.46	.63	.93	1.49	1.02	.90	1.29	1.34	1.10
Wheat, All -----	Bushel	2.02	.97	.64	1.04	1.41	2.23	1.90	1.87	2.11	2.05	2.00
Rye -----	Bushel	1.30	.73	.41	.56	1.19	2.17	1.25	1.00	1.52	1.59	1.15
Dry Beans ¹ -----	100-lb. Bag	4.85	4.90	3.40	4.65	5.50	10.10	7.10	6.50	6.70	8.20	7.90
Field Peas ¹ -----	100-lb. Bag	--	2.40	2.10	3.85	3.55	4.65	4.00	2.35	5.00	4.50	3.25
Potatoes -----	Bushel	1.70	1.14	.60	1.15	1.21	1.69	1.59	1.38	1.86	1.71	.85
Sugar Beets ² -----	Short Ton	10.85	6.93	4.64	6.46	9.90	11.50	9.80	10.90	11.90	11.90	(³)
Grain Sorghum -----	Bushel	--	.81	.56	.77	1.14	1.82	1.18	1.14	1.38	1.47	1.20
Hay, All -----	Ton	18.45	10.56	9.00	7.69	21.30	22.50	22.40	20.30	32.60	30.20	21.00
Broomcorn -----	Ton	100.00	106.00	97.00	179.00	249.00	280.00	300.00	220.00	425.00	365.00	315.00
Alfalfa Seed -----	Bushel	--	9.80	11.40	16.60	20.20	15.40	20.20	23.10	30.00	30.10	20.00
Sweet Clover Seed -----	Bushel	--	3.90	3.00	4.35	6.00	6.30	7.80	8.30	6.42	8.70	8.20
Apples, Commercial -----	Bushel	1.78	1.11	.66	1.12	2.99	1.95	2.20	1.60	1.75	2.05	2.70
Peaches -----	Bushel	1.80	1.35	.80	2.15	2.30	2.60	1.75	1.70	3.85	2.30	2.70
Pears -----	Bushel	2.20	1.50	.75	1.90	2.00	2.00	2.75	1.70	2.35	2.25	2.60
Cherries, All -----	Ton	--	120.00	53.30	96.70	212.00	200.00	165.00	172.00	150.00	179.00	225.00
Truck Crops for Market												
Cabbage ⁴ -----	Ton	20.00	20.43	13.28	16.65	15.40	33.10	12.09	20.67	21.00	50.00	35.80
Cauliflower -----	Crate	--	.70	.30	.65	.90	1.05	.85	.95	1.30	1.10	.80
Celery -----	1/2 Crate	--	.82	2.32	2.75	3.70	3.30	1.80	1.85	1.85	2.10	2.20
Lettuce -----	Crate	3.00	1.25	1.00	2.10	2.20	2.75	2.00	2.55	2.00	1.70	2.95
Onions -----	50-lb. Sack	--	.54	.29	.78	1.40	2.10	.80	1.35	1.40	2.10	.70
Tomatoes -----	Bushel	1.29	.95	.63	.95	1.95	1.80	1.55	1.60	2.35	2.30	1.70
Livestock⁵												
Cattle and Calves -----	Head	58.50	55.30	34.90	54.00	61.30	90.20	118.00	134.00	168.00	177.00	117.00
Stock Sheep -----	Head	10.90	11.50	6.00	9.70	11.20	13.70	16.70	20.60	32.40	34.10	18.20
Hogs -----	Head	22.00	12.10	10.40	15.60	18.10	35.40	43.60	34.80	31.20	25.60	21.30
Chickens -----	Head	--	.75	.60	.74	1.04	1.25	1.40	1.50	1.25	1.25	1.20
Eggs -----	Dozen	.45	.31	.17	.29	.38	.42	.43	.44	.46	.40	.46
Milk, Wholesale -----	100 lb.	3.20	2.15	1.40	2.25	3.05	4.58	4.89	4.38	4.88	5.24	4.74
Wool -----	Lb.	.47	.29	.22	.39	.40	.41	.48	.47	1.00	.52	.51

¹ Price applies to cleaned beans and peas.

² Price support payments are included. Government payments under the Sugar Act are not included.

³ Not available.

⁴ Includes small quantity used for kraut.

⁵ January 1, inventory value, except eggs, milk and wool which are calendar year averages.

^a Preliminary.

CARLOT SHIPMENTS OF COLORADO FRUITS AND VEGETABLES¹
(Crop Season Shipments)

CROP OF	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953
FRUITS													
Apples -----	501	717	710	1,240	961	630	657	747	618	424	408	568	565
Peaches -----	1,801	2,011	2,609	2,760	3,141	2,455	2,720	2,510	2,650	1,615	456	2,343	1,703
Pears -----	114	135	264	63	328	43	200	126	111	168	193	163	127
Mixed Fruits -----	6	17	44	33	38	22	22	36	8	2	1	15	26
VEGETABLES													
Potatoes -----	5,737	12,593	13,283	15,527	15,081	15,228	14,271	19,742	14,267	10,337	8,048	13,227	(²)
Cabbage -----	227	787	1,122	1,209	901	844	1,015	588	988	324	301	373	263
Celery -----	43	59	130	136	163	134	116	118	95	58	33	54	23
Onions -----	3,218	3,914	6,055	7,252	5,682	3,886	4,240	3,791	3,477	1,581	1,352	1,079	(²)
Lettuce -----	357	371	503	441	621	523	632	460	464	291	323	485	415
Mixed Vegetables -----	2,242	3,328	5,227	5,495	5,012	4,134	4,090	2,952	3,194	2,203	2,147	1,639	944
Cauliflower -----	948	1,001	949	1,322	1,091	1,014	1,159	972	956	669	336	389	363
Cantaloups -----	827	512	567	761	759	498	797	450	329	114	45	56	73
Honeydews -----	48	36	80	129	33	61	69	3	1	--	--	--	--
Peas, Green -----	1,586	1,395	1,237	1,016	1,116	839	772	586	570	273	123	195	163
Carrots -----	22	67	232	48	89	23	46	61	36	47	49	81	47
Spinach -----	135	196	341	336	423	233	243	125	122	87	47	14	31
Tomatoes -----	56	111	180	171	187	229	213	69	56	39	50	20	4
Beans, String -----	9	6	3	11	--	11	1	2	3	4	4	7	14

¹ Compiled from reports of the Fruit and Vegetable Division of the Market News Service.

² Season total not yet available.

ESTIMATED PRICE OF FARM PRODUCTS RECEIVED BY COLORADO FARMERS
AS OF THE 15TH OF THE MONTH

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
CORN (Cents per bushel)												
Average												
1935-39--	77	77	77	79	80	79	81	82	83	76	67	66
1947-----	121	125	157	162	160	187	205	218	241	225	225	245
1948-----	251	187	205	209	206	206	203	188	177	141	134	136
1949-----	137	128	130	133	129	182	138	130	131	126	119	112
1950-----	114	118	121	131	141	144	151	149	149	146	149	151
1951-----	156	160	160	162	169	169	170	172	172	176	182	188
1952-----	188	180	178	179	179	183	184	187	189	175	165	165
1953-----	164	152	159	159	162	162	163	165	168	157	152	154
OATS (Cents per bushel)												
Average												
1935-39--	41	41	42	43	43	42	40	35	35	34	35	36
1947-----	80	83	92	90	95	95	96	96	102	100	100	110
1948-----	122	104	108	111	107	101	88	71	72	72	77	79
1949-----	78	78	80	80	76	79	71	66	66	65	66	68
1950-----	70	70	72	73	76	79	82	79	84	85	89	92
1951-----	96	97	100	102	103	101	101	89	90	95	102	106
1952-----	110	105	105	105	100	97	94	95	98	96	96	96
1953-----	95	87	87	85	85	80	80	80	77	78	82	82
BARLEY (Cents per bushel)												
Average												
1935-39--	55	57	57	57	57	54	47	44	48	48	47	49
1947-----	113	104	123	131	130	137	135	132	155	148	154	173
1948-----	182	144	166	160	159	143	116	99	96	98	102	106
1949-----	104	100	104	100	95	92	85	80	86	86	87	89
1950-----	90	89	92	94	98	98	100	102	111	113	114	118
1951-----	123	127	127	126	130	124	123	114	121	127	136	140
1952-----	148	140	140	140	139	133	128	137	142	142	140	140
1953-----	138	126	126	122	122	121	111	108	107	108	111	111
WHEAT (Cents per bushel)												
Average												
1935-39--	88	86	85	83	81	78	77	74	79	79	78	80
1947-----	179	191	241	237	241	211	200	196	232	252	256	265
1948-----	271	201	205	216	208	194	188	186	188	189	195	196
1949-----	193	185	190	192	193	177	175	175	182	186	185	188
1950-----	188	187	194	196	199	185	192	189	189	188	191	200
1951-----	208	218	208	211	205	205	205	202	207	210	221	222
1952-----	213	216	217	216	207	195	189	198	205	204	210	207
1953-----	204	197	204	203	201	181	179	179	193	197	201	201
RYE (Cents per bushel)												
Average												
1935-39--	61	60	60	60	59	56	52	50	54	52	52	53
1947-----	200	223	280	255	245	245	222	199	227	229	232	232
1948-----	232	180	203	204	201	175	157	130	122	122	132	124
1949-----	124	117	111	105	107	100	100	102	102	100	97	97
1950-----	98	98	100	100	105	101	103	102	105	105	109	111
1951-----	130	138	139	144	150	150	155	145	143	150	155	160
1952-----	160	157	159	155	157	160	160	166	165	166	164	164
1953-----	155	150	147	138	137	124	117	113	116	112	114	110
GRAIN SORGHUMS (Dollars per 100 pounds)												
Average												
1935-39--	1.25	1.35	1.47	1.48	1.59	1.55	1.42	1.22	1.26	1.09	.98	1.02
1947-----	1.80	1.95	2.55	2.55	2.55	2.75	3.05	3.10	3.30	3.05	3.20	3.55
1948-----	3.80	2.70	3.15	3.30	3.20	3.00	2.50	2.25	2.25	1.75	1.90	1.95
1949-----	1.95	1.85	1.95	2.00	2.00	2.00	1.95	1.85	1.85	1.60	1.40	1.55
1950-----	1.65	1.60	1.70	1.85	1.95	1.85	2.05	2.05	2.00	2.00	1.90	2.00
1951-----	2.15	2.30	2.30	2.30	2.40	2.30	2.30	2.30	2.30	2.30	2.45	2.50
1952-----	2.50	2.45	2.50	2.50	2.55	2.70	2.75	2.95	2.95	2.75	2.70	2.70
1953-----	2.70	2.65	2.60	2.50	2.50	2.45	2.45	2.45	2.35	2.15	2.10	2.15
POTATOES (Cents per bushel)												
Average												
1935-39--	69	68	68	74	76	91	99	63	59	54	64	62
1947-----	105	115	130	140	160	160	165	125	135	150	175	180
1948-----	195	205	210	215	230	230	190	135	145	145	160	165
1949-----	170	175	180	195	195	200	200	130	145	130	145	135
1950-----	130	135	130	150	155	160	160	130	100	85	90	90
1951-----	100	115	115	110	120	135	130	135	135	150	185	205
1952-----	205	210	220	240	240	260	250	255	205	215	175	155
1953-----	165	125	100	95	140	140	140	75	70	90	85	70

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BEANS, DRY (Dollars per 100 pounds)												
Average												
1935-39..	4.09	4.19	4.21	4.18	4.27	4.27	4.20	3.74	3.56	3.52	3.32	3.31
1947-----	13.60	12.90	13.70	14.60	14.80	15.20	15.90	15.20	12.20	11.80	10.80	9.80
1948-----	9.70	7.80	8.10	8.50	8.60	8.30	8.00	7.00	6.70	7.00	7.00	7.20
1949-----	7.30	7.40	7.30	7.50	7.60	7.60	7.60	7.40	6.30	6.30	6.40	6.40
1950-----	6.50	6.70	6.70	6.60	6.60	6.70	6.80	6.80	6.20	6.30	6.30	6.40
1951-----	6.70	6.80	6.70	6.50	6.50	6.50	6.50	6.40	6.40	6.50	6.70	7.00
1952-----	6.80	6.60	6.50	6.50	6.80	7.10	7.30	7.60	7.20	7.40	7.70	7.90
1953-----	7.90	8.20	9.00	9.70	9.70	9.90	13.80	9.20	7.70	7.90	7.70	7.30

APPLES (Dollars per bushel)												
Average												
1935-39..	.87	.91	.86	.93	1.09	1.16	1.15	.80	.76	.71	.74	.79
1947-----	2.50	2.50	2.70	2.70	2.70	2.70	2.70	2.40	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00
1948-----	1.80	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	2.00	2.25	2.25	2.25
1949-----	2.50	2.75	2.75	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	1.95	1.60	1.50	1.50
1950-----	1.60	1.75	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80	2.25	2.00	2.50	2.50	2.50
1951-----	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.00	1.75	1.75	1.75	2.00
1952-----	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.10	1.75	2.00	2.00	2.50
1953-----	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.85	3.00	2.90

CHICKENS (Cents per pound)												
Average												
1935-39..	12.7	12.8	13.4	14.5	14.5	14.3	14.0	13.9	13.4	13.1	12.7	12.4
1947-----	25.1	23.7	27.2	29.3	30.0	29.1	28.5	29.4	30.2	28.8	27.5	25.9
1948-----	28.2	28.6	30.8	32.0	28.1	28.5	33.2	33.5	32.8	29.4	28.2	29.6
1949-----	30.3	29.7	30.4	29.9	28.4	31.6	31.4	29.7	28.1	27.5	24.8	24.3
1950-----	23.2	24.3	25.7	27.2	23.7	22.1	21.7	22.5	22.1	21.0	21.9	22.8
1951-----	23.9	25.6	28.1	30.2	29.4	27.1	26.4	25.2	24.3	24.2	22.2	24.2
1952-----	22.2	26.7	25.5	26.5	24.1	24.3	23.0	23.9	22.8	22.2	20.9	23.0
1953-----	22.5	25.4	26.6	28.1	27.8	26.1	24.2	23.9	22.9	21.5	21.8	21.5

EGGS (Cents per dozen)												
Average												
1935-39..	22.1	19.8	16.3	16.1	16.7	17.1	18.7	20.6	23.0	26.8	30.7	28.4
1947-----	38.0	34.3	36.0	36.7	36.5	37.1	43.0	46.0	49.3	52.0	54.0	58.0
1948-----	45.0	43.0	41.0	39.0	36.5	37.9	41.6	44.0	49.0	49.6	54.5	52.5
1949-----	48.0	45.0	39.0	38.0	39.0	39.8	42.5	45.9	49.0	53.5	52.8	42.5
1950-----	32.5	28.1	28.1	27.4	27.0	27.3	32.0	37.0	39.0	41.0	46.0	58.7
1951-----	38.7	38.6	40.0	39.0	41.2	41.2	46.0	49.0	55.0	58.0	60.0	54.0
1952-----	41.0	32.0	30.0	31.0	30.0	33.0	43.0	51.0	51.0	52.0	54.0	54.0
1953-----	47.0	39.0	40.0	40.0	41.0	44.0	47.0	50.0	53.0	55.0	54.0	53.0

TURKEYS (Cents per pound—live weight)												
Average												
1935-39..	16.2	15.6	15.3 ¹	16.0 ¹	16.0 ¹	15.0 ¹	15.3 ¹	14.2	14.8	15.8	17.0	16.5 ²
1947-----	34.0	29.0	29.7	32.0	32.0	32.0	32.0	32.0	32.0	32.0	35.0	39.5
1948-----	40.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	38.0	38.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	46.0	48.0
1949-----	47.0	45.0	43.0	43.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	38.0	35.0	35.0	36.0	37.0
1950-----	36.0	33.0	33.0	31.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	31.0	31.0	34.0	35.0
1951-----	38.0	36.0	36.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	40.0	40.0	40.0
1952-----	40.0	40.0	38.0	38.0	38.0	38.0	38.0	40.0	40.0	37.0	35.0	35.0
1953-----	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	37.0

¹ Three-year average (1935-37).² Four-year average (1935-38).

HOGS (Dollars per 100 pounds)												
Average												
1935-39..	8.08	8.12	8.56	8.32	8.04	8.54	8.84	9.14	9.28	8.54	7.80	7.45
1947-----	22.00	24.50	26.50	24.50	23.00	23.00	23.00	24.50	27.00	27.50	26.00	26.00
1948-----	26.50	21.30	22.30	20.50	19.80	23.80	26.00	27.50	28.00	25.00	22.50	21.00
1949-----	20.00	20.00	20.50	19.00	18.50	19.50	20.50	19.50	20.50	18.50	16.00	15.00
1950-----	15.50	16.50	16.50	16.00	19.00	19.00	22.00	23.00	22.00	20.00	18.00	17.90
1951-----	19.90	22.20	21.60	21.00	20.50	21.40	21.30	21.30	20.40	20.80	18.30	17.30
1952-----	17.00	17.10	17.10	16.80	19.60	19.60	20.00	21.30	19.80	18.50	17.00	16.50
1953-----	18.10	18.80	20.30	21.00	22.80	23.00	24.50	24.00	24.20	21.80	20.40	22.40

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BEEF CATTLE (Dollars per 100 pounds)												
Average												
1935-39	6.42	6.60	6.94	7.16	7.34	7.32	7.16	6.98	6.94	6.72	6.54	6.64
1947	18.50	17.50	17.90	18.60	19.00	20.00	21.00	21.20	21.50	21.50	21.50	22.50
1948	23.00	21.70	22.60	23.00	25.00	26.70	27.70	25.50	25.00	23.00	22.00	22.00
1949	21.00	19.50	22.00	22.30	22.90	22.50	22.00	20.50	21.50	20.00	20.50	20.50
1950	22.00	23.00	23.50	24.50	25.50	26.00	26.50	26.00	26.00	25.50	26.00	26.00
1951	27.80	29.80	31.00	32.20	32.20	32.00	31.60	31.00	31.20	30.30	29.50	30.00
1952	28.70	28.60	29.00	29.20	29.50	28.80	29.00	27.50	25.00	22.60	21.50	19.50
1953	21.50	20.40	19.20	17.80	18.80	17.90	19.30	17.90	17.20	16.00	15.70	15.90
VEAL CALVES (Dollars per 100 pounds)												
Average												
1935-39	7.50	7.98	8.20	8.26	8.28	8.18	8.08	7.90	7.98	7.82	7.76	7.72
1947	15.70	16.80	18.20	18.20	18.40	20.30	20.60	20.00	19.60	19.00	19.10	19.40
1948	22.50	22.50	23.30	23.30	25.00	27.00	27.00	25.60	25.40	23.20	22.50	22.80
1949	23.00	23.00	24.50	25.50	26.00	24.50	22.50	21.50	22.00	20.50	20.50	21.70
1950	22.70	24.70	24.40	25.20	26.60	26.50	27.00	27.30	28.00	28.00	28.00	29.00
1951	30.50	32.00	33.00	33.50	33.50	34.00	33.50	33.00	34.00	32.50	31.50	31.00
1952	31.00	31.00	30.00	30.00	31.00	30.00	27.50	24.50	23.50	20.50	21.50	20.00
1953	21.00	21.50	20.50	18.50	19.50	18.70	18.70	15.40	15.00	14.50	16.00	16.20
SHEEP (Dollars per 100 pounds)												
Average												
1935-39	3.87	4.13	4.30	4.61	4.49	4.23	4.17	3.59	3.64	3.45	3.44	3.57
1947	7.00	7.50	8.20	8.00	8.00	8.00	7.50	8.00	8.00	7.50	8.40	8.80
1948	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.50	9.70	9.80	10.00	9.50	8.20	8.40	8.80
1949	9.00	10.00	11.50	11.80	11.00	9.50	8.30	8.00	8.00	8.70	9.00	9.50
1950	9.90	10.20	11.80	11.80	10.50	9.00	9.50	11.50	12.50	13.00	14.00	14.00
1951	15.00	18.50	19.50	18.50	15.00	15.00	15.00	13.50	13.50	13.50	13.00	13.00
1952	12.00	12.00	11.70	12.00	11.00	9.00	8.50	7.70	7.00	6.00	7.00	6.50
1953	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00	7.00	6.00	5.60	5.50	5.00	5.00	5.50	6.10
LAMBS (Dollars per 100 pounds)												
Average												
1935-39	8.16	8.14	8.62	8.94	9.02	8.36	7.94	7.94	8.16	8.06	8.00	7.98
1947	20.00	20.00	22.00	21.10	20.70	22.00	22.00	22.00	22.80	20.50	21.50	22.00
1948	23.40	21.00	20.80	22.00	25.50	26.50	28.90	26.00	24.50	23.10	22.50	21.80
1949	22.60	22.60	26.00	26.20	26.50	24.50	23.50	22.00	22.30	22.30	22.20	21.00
1950	22.00	23.70	25.00	24.50	25.70	25.70	26.00	26.50	27.00	27.00	27.30	28.00
1951	30.00	34.40	36.00	35.00	32.50	32.50	31.50	31.20	31.50	31.80	30.40	29.60
1952	28.60	26.50	25.80	27.00	26.00	26.00	27.00	27.00	24.00	22.00	21.00	19.00
1953	21.60	21.50	21.50	22.00	24.00	23.40	23.00	20.50	18.30	17.20	17.40	16.60
MILK COWS (Dollars per head)												
Average												
1935-39	46	48	49	50	52	50	49	50	51	51	51	51
1947	134	134	134	140	140	145	145	145	150	145	155	157
1948	170	160	170	167	175	175	180	185	195	190	195	190
1949	192	189	191	191	191	189	188	188	186	190	185	181
1950	184	190	195	200	200	197	203	203	205	210	220	230
1951	235	255	260	260	260	262	265	265	270	270	270	260
1952	260	260	260	255	255	255	255	255	245	235	235	225
1953	225	215	210	200	200	185	185	180	175	175	170	175
BUTTERFAT (Cents per pound)												
Average												
1935-39	29	29	27	26	24	23	24	25	26	27	29	30
1947	67	64	71	64	60	61	68	74	87	66	80	87
1948	86	82	76	82	80	82	84	78	70	61	61	64
1949	64	64	62	60	58	58	56	60	60	61	64	66
1950	64	64	63	60	59	59	57	58	60	62	65	66
1951	72	72	70	67	70	70	68	68	68	71	73	76
1952	78	83	75	72	71	69	72	72	72	71	71	68
1953	65	64	64	64	64	64	63	63	63	64	65	65
WHOLE MILK (Wholesale) (Dollars per 100 pounds)												
Average												
1935-39	1.74	1.69	1.60	1.53	1.44	1.42	1.49	1.55	1.65	1.72	1.79	1.77
1947	4.85	4.80	4.70	4.45	4.30	4.20	4.20	4.35	4.65	4.75	5.05	5.10
1948	5.10	5.05	5.00	4.75	4.35	4.45	4.75	4.80	5.25	5.35	5.15	5.15
1949	5.00	4.75	4.45	4.25	3.90	3.75	4.00	4.15	4.70	4.85	4.70	4.65
1950	4.50	4.30	4.25	3.90	3.70	3.65	3.90	4.10	4.60	4.90	4.70	4.85
1951	5.00	4.95	4.75	4.60	4.30	4.30	4.50	4.80	5.30	5.50	5.60	5.70
1952	5.60	5.50	5.30	5.05	4.65	4.60	4.85	5.10	5.50	5.90	5.95	5.70
1953	5.45	5.25	4.95	4.65	4.25	4.15	4.25	4.55	4.90	4.95	5.10	5.10

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ALL HAY—BALED (Dollars per Ton)												
Average												
1935-39	11.52	11.28	11.54	11.90	11.86	11.34	10.64	10.48	10.56	10.78	11.02	10.84
1947	27.30	27.30	27.30	27.00	26.00	20.20	18.00	20.00	22.00	23.50	24.50	25.30
1948	23.30	23.00	21.50	22.00	21.80	21.80	19.70	18.30	20.00	20.40	21.40	21.90
1949	22.90	26.70	26.50	24.50	24.00	20.00	19.00	18.00	18.77	20.80	21.00	21.50
1950	21.60	20.80	20.40	20.70	20.70	20.40	23.40	24.50	27.50	27.50	29.00	29.00
1951	28.50	29.50	29.50	29.50	32.00	30.00	26.90	26.00	30.50	30.60	33.60	34.80
1952	38.00	38.50	37.20	38.20	36.80	26.10	26.70	32.60	34.40	34.20	32.70	32.70
1953	31.80	29.10	25.30	24.40	24.20	21.00	20.50	21.00	21.00	20.20	20.40	21.00

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ALFALFA HAY—BALED (Dollars per Ton)												
Average												
1935-39	9.00	8.80	8.72	9.28	9.26	8.40	7.76	7.90	8.18	8.50	8.42	8.18
1947	29.00	28.50	28.50	28.00	27.50	21.00	18.40	20.00	22.20	23.50	24.50	25.80
1948	24.00	23.70	23.70	23.50	23.00	23.00	20.50	18.50	20.00	20.50	21.50	22.00
1949	23.00	27.00	26.50	24.50	24.00	20.00	18.50	17.50	18.50	20.50	21.00	21.50
1950	22.00	21.00	20.50	21.00	21.00	21.00	24.00	25.00	28.00	28.00	29.50	29.50
1951	28.50	30.00	30.00	30.00	33.00	30.00	25.00	25.00	30.00	31.00	35.00	36.50
1952	39.50	39.50	37.50	38.50	37.00	25.80	24.60	32.40	35.00	34.50	32.50	32.50
1953	32.00	30.00	25.50	24.50	24.00	19.50	19.50	20.00	19.50	18.60	20.00	20.70

¹ Prices received for these years, loose basis.

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WILD HAY—BALED (Dollars per Ton)												
Average												
1935-39	7.90	7.74	7.98	8.44	8.62	8.08	7.72	7.54	7.28	7.52	7.40	7.04
1947	15.60	14.70	15.20	15.00	14.00	12.00	11.00	12.50	13.00	14.50	15.50	16.00
1948	15.00 ¹	20.70	20.20	20.00	20.00	20.00	18.50	18.00	20.00	20.50	21.50	22.00
1949	23.00	26.50	26.00	24.50	24.00	21.00	19.50	18.00	19.50	21.50	21.00	21.50
1950	21.00	20.50	20.00	20.00	20.00	19.00	22.00	23.00	26.00	26.00	27.50	27.50
1951	27.50	27.50	27.50	28.50	30.00	29.00	30.00	28.00	32.00	30.00	31.00	32.00
1952	35.50	36.00	36.00	37.00	35.00	25.00	30.00	32.30	33.50	33.00	33.00	33.00
1953	31.00	27.00	25.00	24.50	25.00	24.00	23.50	24.00	24.50	23.00	21.50	22.00

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WOOL (Cents per Pound)												
Average												
1935-39	22	21	22	22	22	22	22	23	23	24	25	25
1947	44	42	41	41	40	39	39	42	42	41	41	42
1948	39	39	45	45	46	48	48	50	45	48	50	50
1949	48	52	50	49	49	45	42	45	45	46	48	48
1950	50	52	53	53	54	54	57	57	64	65	70	85
1951	100	105	115	110	107	95	85	70	65	65	65	60
1952	57	55	53	51	50	51	50	50	55	56	53	53
1953	47	50	50	50	50	50	50	51	51	51	51	51

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
ALFALFA SEED (ALL) (Dollars per 100 Pounds)												
Average												
1935-39	18.00	19.20	20.80	21.70	21.60	21.70	21.90	20.10	18.20	17.00	17.60	17.80
1947	35.80	36.30	37.50	41.70	41.70	40.30	40.30	36.70	31.70	25.00	24.20	24.20
1948	25.00	25.80	25.80	30.00	30.50	30.80	30.30	31.30	39.00	43.30	44.30	45.30
1949	46.70	47.50	50.00	50.00	49.20	49.20	49.20	49.20	40.30	36.30	36.30	38.30
1950	40.00	40.80	40.80	43.30	43.30	45.80	45.30	44.20	42.00	45.20	46.00	49.40
1951	51.00	53.30	56.40	54.80	54.80	54.80	54.80	53.30	46.30	48.10	50.30	51.10
1952	51.20	51.30	52.60	53.80	54.70	54.70	51.80	47.70	34.00	31.50	30.80	30.50
1953	30.80	29.20	29.20	28.40	27.60	25.80	25.60	24.60	22.40	20.40	19.20	19.80

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
SWEET CLOVER SEED (ALL) (Dollars per 100 Pounds)												
Average												
1937-41	5.40	6.10	7.10	8.00	7.80	8.00	7.70	6.80	4.60	5.00	5.40	5.30
1947	10.00	10.00	10.80	12.50	12.50	11.70	11.70	10.00	9.00	10.50	10.50	10.50
1948	10.80	10.80	10.80	13.30	13.80	13.30	11.70	11.80	12.80	12.70	13.30	13.30
1949	13.70	14.20	14.20	14.70	15.00	15.00	14.20	13.30	13.30	12.70	13.30	15.00
1950	15.80	15.80	17.50	18.30	18.30	20.00	18.30	15.00	13.30	12.50	11.70	13.30
1951	13.80	14.50	15.30	14.50	13.30	12.50	10.80	10.70	10.20	9.70	10.50	10.50
1952	10.80	11.20	12.00	12.50	12.80	12.00	10.80	10.00	8.50	8.50	8.50	8.50
1953	8.50	8.50	9.00	9.30	9.50	9.50	9.00	8.90	7.80	8.20	8.20	8.50

FARM WAGE RATES—1940-1954

YEAR and MONTH	Per Month		Per Day		Per Hour	Index ¹
	With Board	Without Board ²	With Board	Without Board		
1940 January -----	28.00	44.00	1.40	1.95	--	122
April -----	30.00	45.50	1.40	1.95	--	122
July -----	32.00	47.50	1.55	2.15	--	123
October -----	32.00	47.50	1.60	2.15	--	121
1941 January -----	30.00	45.50	1.50	2.05	--	130
April -----	33.50	49.00	1.55	2.10	--	135
July -----	38.50	54.00	1.95	2.55	--	149
October -----	40.00	57.00	2.25	2.90	--	160
1942 January -----	40.00	56.00	2.05	2.65	--	168
April -----	44.50	65.00	2.20	2.90	--	185
July -----	51.00	72.00	2.60	3.40	--	200
October -----	57.00	81.00	3.35	4.30	--	236
1943 January -----	60.00	83.00	3.30	4.10	--	252
April -----	65.00	92.00	3.30	4.10	--	268
July -----	71.00	96.00	3.50	4.40	--	270
October -----	74.00	104.00	4.20	5.20	--	293
1944 January -----	72.00	103.00	3.70	4.60	--	298
April -----	76.00	106.00	3.70	4.80	--	308
July -----	88.00	117.00	4.15	5.30	--	332
October -----	88.00	121.00	4.80	5.90	--	338
1945 January -----	88.00	119.00	4.40	5.40	--	354
April -----	91.00	124.00	4.45	5.30	--	356
July -----	100.00	131.00	4.70	5.70	--	365
October -----	100.00	131.00	5.40	6.40	--	368
1946 January -----	91.00	124.00	4.60	5.70	--	364
April -----	97.00	133.00	4.80	5.90	--	388
July -----	100.00	137.00	4.80	5.90	.69	375
October -----	104.00	141.00	5.50	6.30	.73	375
1947 January -----	100.00	137.00	5.10	6.20	.76	394
April -----	105.00	144.00	4.95	6.00	.71	404
July -----	109.00	146.00	5.20	6.40	.74	408
October -----	109.00	150.00	5.60	7.00	--	412
1948 January -----	114.00	140.00	5.70	6.40	.90	430
April -----	112.00	145.00	5.20	6.10	.80	428
July -----	124.00	152.00	5.90	6.70	.80	451
October -----	125.00	163.00	6.20	7.30	.84	447
1949 January -----	114.00	151.00	---	6.40	.80	445
April -----	112.00	150.00	---	6.30	.80	433
July -----	112.00	154.00	---	6.50	.77	428
October -----	110.00	151.00	---	6.70	.79	417
1950 January -----	104.00	144.00	---	6.00	.77	420
April -----	109.00	149.00	---	6.30	.75	422
July -----	110.00	150.00	---	6.50	.76	423
October -----	123.00	160.00	---	6.90	.81	434
1951 January -----	118.00	154.00	---	6.40	.83	458
April -----	125.00	164.00	---	6.50	.80	456
July -----	129.00	165.00	---	7.00	.84	467
October -----	136.00	171.00	---	7.60	.89	476
1952 January -----	131.00	171.00	---	7.20	.89	504
April -----	131.00	177.00	---	7.30	.89	498
July -----	150.00	189.00	---	7.80	.91	524
October -----	146.00	192.00	---	8.20	.99	526
1953 January -----	134.00	180.00	---	7.40	.93	512
April -----	137.00	184.00	---	7.50	.93	525
July -----	142.00	190.00	---	7.90	.94	525
October -----	134.00	186.00	---	7.90	.94	505
1954 January -----	133.00	178.00	---	7.30	.92	508

¹ Based on average rate, 1910-14 = 100. Adjusted for seasonal variation.² Beginning in 1948 wages are without board but include house.

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

FARM POPULATION—Federal Census, 1925-1950

COUNTY	Number of Persons Living on Farms					
	Jan. 1 1925	April 1 1930	Jan. 1 1935	April 1 1940	Jan. 1 1945	April 1 1950
Chaffee	1,098	1,446	1,325	1,299	1,130	880
Clear Creek	48	96	144	148	61	115
Eagle	1,251	1,575	1,684	1,646	1,018	1,150
Gilpin	115	122	171	169	59	70
Grand	824	860	1,057	1,139	875	621
Gunnison	1,259	1,299	1,694	1,397	1,045	1,019
Jackson	580	781	743	786	631	602
Lake	115	116	163	70	72	61
Moffat	2,642	2,335	2,644	1,921	1,341	1,252
Park	861	1,155	1,510	1,179	631	667
Pitkin	698	696	746	714	543	458
Rio Blanco	1,604	1,739	1,545	1,411	1,006	1,086
Routt	2,997	3,211	3,569	3,139	2,009	2,082
Summit	268	220	230	251	174	127
Teller	681	592	913	769	488	375
Total Northwest District	15,041	16,743	18,138	16,038	11,083	10,565
Boulder	6,852	7,031	6,705	7,514	5,391	4,751
Jefferson	7,510	8,081	8,299	8,159	7,182	5,948
Larimer	8,289	10,245	9,590	9,906	6,930	7,331
Logan	9,011	9,520	9,186	8,242	6,377	6,605
Morgan	8,179	9,523	8,518	8,045	6,258	7,735
Sedgwick	2,882	2,833	3,194	2,679	1,868	2,062
Weld	27,051	34,034	29,752	28,865	21,294	26,013
Total N. Central and N. E. District	69,774	81,267	75,244	73,410	55,309	60,445
Adams	8,138	9,206	9,131	8,953	6,322	7,617
Arapahoe	4,780	4,853	5,965	5,264	4,003	3,090
Cheyenne	2,632	2,582	2,655	1,719	1,525	1,464
Denver	---	---	---	---	---	---
Douglas	1,752	2,023	2,035	1,909	1,591	1,664
Elbert	5,286	5,198	4,952	3,958	3,189	3,047
El Paso	6,408	6,139	5,627	5,292	5,227	4,692
Kiowa	2,804	2,584	2,434	1,560	1,400	1,236
Kit Carson	6,273	6,749	7,009	4,439	3,851	3,984
Lincoln	5,381	5,140	4,761	3,214	2,705	2,561
Phillips	3,481	3,197	3,452	2,602	2,192	2,067
Washington	8,401	7,696	7,756	5,996	4,738	4,755
Yuma	9,781	9,426	9,111	7,306	5,767	5,367
Total East Central District	65,117	64,793	64,888	52,302	42,510	41,544
Archuleta	1,538	1,824	1,673	1,869	1,233	1,126
Delta	6,978	3,131	8,037	8,324	6,790	7,484
Dolores	542	743	947	1,003	817	796
Garfield	3,852	4,738	4,432	4,567	3,203	3,541
Hinsdale	115	113	152	104	96	79
La Plata	4,261	5,070	5,367	5,100	3,621	3,673
Mesa	8,924	10,700	11,499	13,273	9,866	10,018
Montezuma	3,290	4,431	4,493	5,015	3,671	3,859
Montrose	6,444	6,836	6,359	7,327	5,657	6,343
Ouray	560	674	635	666	464	455
San Juan	---	---	---	---	13	---
San Miguel	1,170	976	1,048	858	941	546
Total West Central and S. W. District	37,675	44,241	44,642	48,106	36,372	37,920
Alamosa	1,379	2,413	2,390	2,787	1,953	2,325
Conejos	3,855	5,898	5,856	5,727	3,819	4,348
Costilla	1,777	2,885	3,033	3,423	2,768	2,448
Mineral	105	114	128	149	55	54
Rio Grande	2,709	4,331	3,848	4,611	3,905	4,270
Saguache	1,575	2,690	2,620	2,525	1,533	1,863
Total South Central District	11,400	18,331	17,925	19,222	14,033	15,313
Baca	6,765	7,626	7,014	3,282	3,018	3,156
Bent	3,680	4,276	3,784	3,473	2,565	2,321
Crowley	2,647	3,423	2,838	2,944	2,206	2,060
Custer	1,358	1,360	1,536	1,275	792	804
Fremont	4,349	4,633	5,240	4,173	3,293	3,177
Huerfano	4,622	4,156	4,502	3,507	2,397	2,070
Las Animas	8,044	9,215	9,069	6,309	4,077	3,920
Otero	6,672	7,606	6,852	6,730	5,292	4,283
Prowers	5,341	6,980	6,331	4,673	3,804	3,831
Pueblo	6,704	7,123	7,030	6,248	4,872	6,267
Total Southeast District	50,182	56,398	54,196	42,614	32,316	32,394
State Total	249,189	281,773	275,033	251,692	191,623	198,181

TOTAL AND FARM POPULATION: NUMBER OF FARMS AND AVERAGE SIZE:
COLORADO AND UNITED STATES, 1910-1953

Year	COLORADO			UNITED STATES			COLORADO		UNITED STATES	
	Total ¹ Population ² Thousands	Farm Population		Total ¹ Population ³ Thousands	Farm Population		Number of Farms Thousands	Average Size of Farm ⁵ Acres	Number of Farms Thousands	Average Size of Farm ⁶ Acres
		Number of Persons ³ Thousands	Percentage of Total Population Percent		Number of Persons ³ Thousands	Percentage of Total Population Percent				
1910----	804	---	---	91,885	32,077	34.9	47.5	293 ⁴	6,406	---
1911----	821	---	---	93,502	32,110	34.3	49.0	---	6,425	---
1912----	832	---	---	94,965	32,210	33.9	50.5	---	6,430	---
1913----	835	---	---	96,753	32,270	33.4	52.0	---	6,437	---
1914----	846	---	---	98,645	32,320	32.8	53.0	---	6,447	---
1915----	868	---	---	100,191	32,440	32.4	54.8	---	6,458	---
1916----	892	---	---	101,612	32,530	32.0	56.2	---	6,463	---
1917----	910	---	---	103,052	32,430	31.5	57.5	---	6,478	---
1918----	906	---	---	104,266	31,950	30.6	58.5	---	6,488	---
1919----	938	---	---	104,935	31,200	29.7	59.5	---	6,506	---
1920----	937	268	28.6	106,089	31,974	30.1	60.0	409 ⁴	6,518	148
1921----	961	268	27.9	108,023	32,123	29.7	60.0	---	6,511	---
1922----	965	271	28.1	109,676	32,109	29.3	59.8	---	6,500	---
1923----	985	266	27.0	111,476	31,490	28.2	59.5	---	6,492	---
1924----	1,014	265	26.1	113,573	31,177	27.5	59.4	---	6,480	---
1925----	1,019	267	26.2	115,402	31,190	27.0	59.5	416 ⁴	6,471	145
1926----	1,016	268	26.4	117,007	30,979	26.5	59.5	---	6,462	---
1927----	1,028	272	26.5	118,628	30,530	25.7	59.8	---	6,458	---
1928----	1,014	275	27.1	120,135	30,548	25.4	60.0	---	6,470	---
1929----	1,008	282	28.0	121,453	30,580	25.2	61.5	434	6,512	---
1930----	1,038	284	27.4	122,775	30,529	24.9	62.0	441	6,546	157
1931----	1,046	285	27.2	123,841	30,845	24.9	61.5	444	6,608	---
1932----	1,051	292	27.8	124,658	31,388	25.2	62.0	456	6,687	---
1933----	1,052	292	27.8	125,401	32,393	25.8	62.5	448	6,741	---
1934----	1,053	286	27.2	126,192	32,305	25.6	63.0	452	6,776	---
1935----	1,055	278	26.4	127,057	32,161	25.3	63.0	476	6,814	155
1936----	1,067	268	25.1	127,886	31,737	24.8	60.5	496	6,739	---
1937----	1,084	260	24.0	128,649	31,266	24.3	58.0	534	6,636	---
1938----	1,097	253	23.1	129,589	30,980	23.9	56.4	550	6,527	---
1939----	1,113	252	22.6	130,642	30,840	23.6	55.2	580	6,441	---
1940----	1,123	253	22.5	131,820	30,574	23.2	52.4	630	6,350	174
1941----	1,138	251	22.1	133,098	30,273	22.7	52.2	651	6,293	---
1942----	1,136	243	21.4	134,498	29,234	21.7	51.4	671	6,202	---
1943----	1,171	222	19.0	136,297	26,681	19.6	50.8	689	6,089	---
1944----	1,148	212	18.5	138,027	25,495	18.5	50.4	704	6,003	---
1945----	1,118	214	19.1	139,583	25,295	18.1	49.8	733	5,967	195
1946----	1,186	224	18.9	141,039	26,483	18.8	49.5	748	5,927	---
1947----	1,201	229	19.1	143,480	27,124	18.9	48.5	769	5,873	---
1948----	1,201	218	18.2	146,051	25,903	17.7	48.0	781	5,804	---
1949----	1,249	219	17.5	148,595	25,954	17.5	47.5	800	5,723	---
1950----	1,333	211	15.8	151,132	25,058	16.6	47.0	819	5,648	215
1951----	1,381	---	---	153,383	23,276	15.2	46.5	839	5,596	---
1952----	1,427	---	---	155,767	24,819	15.9	46.0	852	5,535	---
1953----	---	---	---	159,068	---	---	45.5	868	---	---

¹ As of July 1.² Data compiled from "Vital Statistics Rates in the United States, 1900-1940" and "Statistical Abstract of the United States, 1952," both sources United States Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.³ As of April 1.⁴ Includes armed forces overseas except in 1910-1916 and 1930-1939.⁵ United States Department of Agriculture, Agricultural Marketing Service estimates except where noted.⁶ United States Census—Obtained by dividing total land in farms by number of farms.

PER CAPITA CONSUMPTION OF FOOD PRODUCTS IN THE UNITED STATES,¹ 1935-1953²

Year	POUNDS PER CAPITA									
	Beef ³	Veal ³	Lamb and Mutton ³	Pork ³	Total Meat ³	Total Fish ⁴	Chicken ⁵	Turkey ⁵	Eggs (Number not pounds)	Lard
1935	52.5	8.4	7.2	47.7	115.8	10.5	12.9	1.7	276	9.5
1936	59.7	8.3	6.5	54.4	128.9	11.7	13.5	2.2	285	11.1
1937	54.4	8.5	6.6	55.0	124.5	10.6	13.4	2.2	304	10.4
1938	53.6	7.6	6.8	57.4	125.4	10.9	12.5	2.2	306	10.9
1939	53.9	7.5	6.5	63.9	131.8	10.7	13.9	2.4	309	12.5
1940	54.2	7.3	6.5	72.4	140.4	10.5	13.9	2.9	314	14.2
1941	60.0	7.5	6.7	67.4	141.6	11.1	15.2	2.9	307	13.6
1942	60.4	8.1	7.1	62.8	138.4	8.7	17.4	3.0	314	12.7
1943	52.5	8.1	6.4	77.9	144.9	7.9	22.7	2.7	342	12.9
1944	54.9	12.2	6.6	78.5	152.2	8.7	20.1	2.7	350	12.1
1945	58.6	11.7	7.2	65.7	143.2	9.8	21.3	3.4	397	11.5
1946	60.8	9.8	6.6	74.9	152.1	10.4	19.1	3.7	374	11.7
1947	68.6	10.7	5.2	68.6	153.1	10.0	17.9	3.5	378	12.4
1948	62.2	9.4	5.0	66.8	143.4	10.4	18.1	3.0	384	12.6
1949	63.0	8.8	4.0	66.8	142.6	10.5	19.4	3.2	378	11.7
1950	62.5	7.9	3.9	68.1	142.4	11.5	20.3	4.0	383	12.4
1951	55.2	6.6	3.4	70.6	135.8	11.2	22.2	4.3	395	12.1
1952	61.2	7.1	4.1	71.6	144.0	11.0	23.0	4.4	407	11.8
1953	75.0	9.3	4.4	63.0	151.0	10.8	22.7	4.2	397	11.3

Year	POUNDS PER CAPITA									
	Fluid Milk and Cream	Cheese	Ice Cream	Butter	Margarine	Total Fresh Fruit	Total Canned Fruit	Total Fruit Including Juices ⁶	Total Commercial Fresh Vegetables ⁶	Total Canned Vegetables ⁷
1935	326	5.2	8.0	17.3	2.0	134.7	13.2	174.8	137.0	25.8
1936	330	5.4	9.4	16.6	3.0	127.3	16.5	171.7	138.2	27.3
1937	331	5.5	10.5	16.5	3.0	140.4	13.3	188.5	138.3	29.0
1938	329	5.8	10.2	16.4	2.9	133.4	15.2	181.5	139.6	30.6
1939	332	5.8	10.8	17.2	2.3	149.3	15.7	203.9	140.8	31.4
1940	331	5.9	11.2	16.7	2.4	140.0	18.7	198.1	142.1	33.9
1941	334	5.8	13.4	15.8	2.7	146.7	17.5	206.2	136.8	36.3
1942	354	6.3	15.6	15.7	2.7	129.4	17.0	183.0	138.9	39.2
1943	371	4.9	12.9	11.7	3.8	118.0	12.4	167.2	134.7	36.5
1944	381	4.8	14.1	11.8	3.8	139.7	9.1	198.7	151.8	33.9
1945	399	6.6	15.4	10.8	4.0	139.9	14.2	204.7	164.3	42.6
1946	389	6.6	22.8	10.4	3.8	134.4	21.9	224.7	163.7	46.1
1947	369	6.8	19.8	11.1	4.9	140.1	17.9	216.4	150.8	39.9
1948	355	6.8	18.2	9.9	6.0	128.9	17.8	210.1	152.0	37.3
1949	352	7.2	17.4	10.4	5.7	121.9	18.6	200.3	146.3	38.2
1950	349	7.6	17.0	10.6	6.0	106.4	20.9	187.2	145.7	41.5
1951	352	7.1	17.1	9.5	6.5	114.4	18.6	196.2	143.1	41.2
1952	352	7.5	17.6	8.6	7.8	110.8	20.3	202.9	142.0	41.3
1953	352	7.7	16.8	8.7	8.2	109.3	20.0	---	144.8	41.3

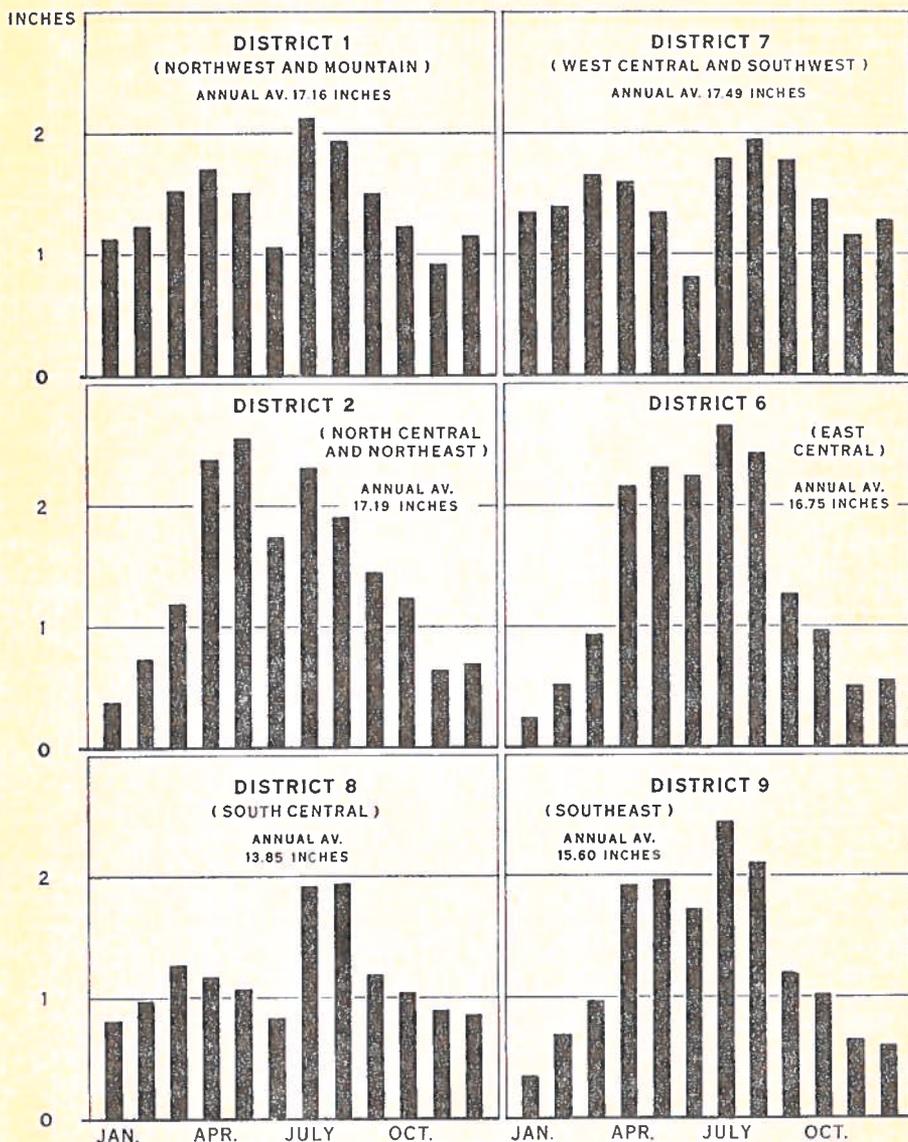
Year	POUNDS PER CAPITA										
	Wheat		Corn		Potatoes ⁶	Sweet Potatoes ⁶	Dry Beans ⁶	Oats	Barley	Rice	Sugars and Syrups
	Flour	Cereal	Flour & Meal	Cereal							
1935	156	3.1	24.3	1.4	140	25.3	8.3	4.0	1.5	5.7	109
1936	161	3.3	23.8	1.5	128	19.5	8.9	3.9	1.5	5.3	112
1937	156	3.4	22.5	1.6	124	21.2	7.7	3.7	1.4	6.0	108
1938	158	3.4	21.8	1.7	127	21.0	9.5	3.8	1.3	6.0	108
1939	156	3.4	21.4	1.9	121	19.4	9.2	3.8	1.1	5.6	115
1940	153	3.3	21.5	1.8	121	16.1	8.2	3.9	1.1	5.8	107
1941	153	3.3	20.3	2.3	126	18.1	8.7	4.0	1.3	5.8	116
1942	154	3.3	19.5	2.5	125	20.2	11.0	4.8	1.5	5.2	106
1943	161	3.3	20.2	2.5	124	21.2	8.8	4.1	1.8	5.6	98
1944	147	3.2	18.9	2.5	135	19.5	8.0	3.2	1.4	5.3	107
1945	159	3.2	17.4	2.1	120	18.0	7.7	3.4	1.5	4.8	91
1946	154	3.2	15.7	1.9	122	17.0	8.6	3.1	2.0	4.0	92
1947	137	3.2	13.7	1.4	124	14.3	6.4	3.3	1.9	4.6	108
1948	135	3.1	13.5	1.5	104	11.2	6.7	3.4	1.5	4.8	108
1949	134	3.1	13.0	1.5	109	11.5	6.8	3.4	1.5	4.9	107
1950	133	3.1	12.7	1.5	101	12.3	8.5	3.4	1.4	5.0	107
1951	132	3.1	12.6	1.5	108	7.2	8.0	3.4	1.4	5.7	108
1952	130	3.1	12.3	1.5	100	6.6	8.4	3.4	1.3	5.2	107
1953	129	3.1	12.2	1.5	108	7.6	8.4	3.4	1.3	5.8	108

¹ Primary distribution weight. Approximately wholesale or processing level of distribution. Excludes quantities used in alcoholic beverages. ² Civilian consumption only beginning 1941. ³ Carcass weight. ⁴ Edible weight equivalent. ⁵ Equivalent eviscerated weight. ⁶ Farm weight equivalent. ⁷ Net canned weight. ⁸ Cleaned basis.

TRUCKS AND TRACTORS ON FARMS—FEDERAL CENSUS 1925-1950

COUNTY	Number of Tractors					Number of Trucks			
	1925	1930	1940	1945	1950	1930	1940	1945	1950
Chaffee	29	40	80	117	164	92	91	153	167
Clear Creek	1	1	3	6	5	10	14	16	20
Eagle	40	39	80	127	155	97	115	179	193
Gilpin	--	1	6	3	--	8	12	11	30
Grand	21	17	56	146	260	53	94	176	141
Gunnison	5	13	42	116	311	56	98	182	184
Jackson	2	10	73	99	186	32	79	115	153
Lake	--	--	--	8	--	21	11	21	10
Moffat	52	101	166	254	442	120	116	269	451
Park	7	18	55	81	322	105	135	158	223
Pitkin	11	14	25	50	80	21	44	78	75
Rio Blanco	38	35	90	140	276	60	44	149	235
Routt	56	100	238	374	611	111	189	385	508
Summit	1	5	14	30	49	7	18	40	42
Teller	12	16	47	59	72	72	76	106	97
Total Northwest District	275	410	975	1,610	2,933	865	1,136	2,038	2,529
Boulder	155	307	579	865	1,386	498	614	903	1,076
Jefferson	96	240	461	642	970	774	767	895	1,023
Larimer	221	510	868	1,278	2,079	713	954	1,279	1,766
Logan	387	741	1,107	1,484	2,226	652	736	1,062	1,663
Morgan	85	460	717	1,231	2,250	570	550	882	1,520
Sedgwick	166	363	465	621	643	272	299	413	517
Weld	780	1,851	2,990	4,770	7,639	2,338	2,840	4,125	5,476
Total N. Central and N. E. District	1,890	4,472	7,187	10,891	17,193	5,817	6,760	9,559	13,041
Adams	257	602	913	1,122	2,267	956	1,003	1,200	1,984
Arapahoe	174	372	477	622	921	389	376	611	968
Cheyenne	165	204	286	358	464	149	94	213	366
Denver	4	13	17	59	29	113	109	195	69
Douglas	95	180	278	369	465	119	128	264	289
Elbert	234	443	600	801	995	178	169	417	699
El Paso	159	324	522	752	1,248	392	284	610	945
Kiowa	123	133	202	280	549	101	85	193	465
Kit Carson	376	548	584	978	1,472	407	151	504	1,107
Lincoln	304	495	441	624	860	318	102	405	724
Phillips	363	500	547	677	850	309	224	432	710
Washington	495	619	829	1,169	1,706	539	250	565	1,285
Yuma	345	569	1,050	1,277	1,622	606	401	721	1,186
Total East Central District	3,094	5,002	6,696	9,088	13,448	4,576	3,376	6,330	10,797
Archuleta	5	15	53	84	163	32	63	139	164
Delta	38	80	296	609	1,312	397	495	677	1,085
Dolores	1	33	160	242	472	36	15	144	287
Garfield	63	56	170	350	605	193	211	553	589
Hinsdale	1	--	4	7	11	10	11	25	31
La Plata	35	93	202	385	738	158	219	427	615
Mesa	69	167	537	928	1,623	500	561	1,428	1,854
Montezuma	25	119	352	546	944	134	139	449	658
Montrose	73	77	290	532	1,108	309	443	611	1,049
Ouray	6	10	25	29	68	22	15	83	97
San Juan	--	--	--	--	--	--	4	2	--
San Miguel	16	18	35	83	103	47	31	129	94
Total W. Central & S. W. District	332	668	2,124	3,795	7,147	1,838	2,207	4,667	6,523
Alamosa	38	125	255	403	543	196	206	265	407
Conejos	42	143	307	462	1,038	219	233	493	745
Costilla	50	80	170	229	419	96	123	238	381
Mineral	3	4	7	9	10	13	21	12	7
Rio Grande	103	245	498	739	971	405	424	647	726
Saguache	49	114	180	318	432	217	189	247	378
Total South Central District	285	711	1,417	2,160	3,413	1,146	1,196	1,902	2,644
Baca	119	725	699	1,024	1,624	447	122	574	1,215
Bent	100	141	250	491	858	107	101	272	511
Crowley	32	85	228	402	671	118	177	291	452
Custer	21	57	68	101	223	148	98	144	218
Fremont	14	41	133	258	503	385	276	511	679
Huerfano	84	100	97	179	287	168	155	253	357
Las Animas	70	168	211	379	679	333	331	532	723
Otero	88	180	413	790	1,239	273	356	591	903
Prowers	164	282	465	916	1,775	171	129	420	1,104
Pueblo	125	292	457	682	1,194	526	430	710	967
Total Southeast District	817	2,071	3,021	5,222	9,053	2,676	2,175	4,298	7,129
State Total	6,693	13,334	21,423	32,766	53,187	16,918	16,850	28,794	42,663

PRECIPITATION* (IN INCHES), BY CROP REPORTING DISTRICTS
(BY MONTHS — LONG TIME AVERAGE)



SUMMARY OF MONTHLY AND ANNUAL PRECIPITATION FOR COLORADO

CROP REPORTING DISTRICT NO. 1 (Northwest and Mountain Counties) ²

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
1945	.81	1.34	1.47	2.32	1.66	1.42	2.47	3.01	1.03	1.04	1.07	1.03	18.67
1946	.65	.45	.82	1.54	1.64	.64	1.89	1.95	.61	2.18	1.74	.45	14.66
1947	1.00	1.30	1.43	1.84	1.56	2.60	1.51	2.23	1.37	2.19	.86	.86	18.75
1948	1.21	1.43	1.79	1.68	.72	1.46	1.29	1.20	.63	.66	1.26	2.03	15.36
1949	1.16	.80	1.63	1.23	2.21	2.94	2.37	1.06	1.13	1.64	.26	.63	17.11
1950	1.75	.79	.87	1.88	1.24	.47	1.55	.70	1.39	.32	1.37	1.81	13.64
1951	1.49	1.10	.84	1.77	1.33	1.28	1.37	2.04	.57	1.54	1.29	3.69	18.31
1952	1.68	.80	1.84	1.22	1.52	.87	1.96	2.24	.60	.03	1.13	.92	14.81
1953	1.23	.73	1.41	1.70	1.90	.95	2.46	1.57	.18	1.07	1.18	.87	15.25
Average 1900-45	1.15	1.28	1.52	1.70	1.48	1.09	2.03	1.91	1.46	1.22	.92	1.12	16.88

CROP REPORTING DISTRICT NO. 2 (Northeast Counties) ²

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
1945	.81	.57	.48	2.99	2.63	2.83	2.45	3.41	1.54	.89	.41	.46	19.47
1946	.46	.24	1.14	1.10	3.00	1.35	2.10	2.20	1.50	1.72	2.75	.10	17.66
1947	.43	.79	1.13	1.67	3.53	4.32	1.94	1.34	.74	2.50	.95	.45	19.79
1948	1.16	.57	1.40	1.24	1.84	2.61	1.36	1.05	.56	.64	.74	.81	13.98
1949	1.07	.27	1.90	1.24	3.65	4.96	1.75	1.16	.50	1.24	.06	.20	18.00
1950	.62	.44	.44	2.19	2.51	1.24	1.96	.86	1.48	.20	.94	.30	13.18
1951	.68	.57	.77	1.81	2.43	2.65	1.84	2.93	1.49	2.14	.50	1.07	18.88
1952	.13	.49	1.44	2.22	3.94	1.06	.89	1.87	.43	.23	1.18	.29	14.17
1953	.34	.80	1.05	2.24	1.83	1.82	2.21	1.83	.14	.54	.92	.60	14.32
Average 1900-45	.44	.70	1.20	2.41	2.51	1.81	2.22	1.83	1.48	1.20	.61	.67	17.03

CROP REPORTING DISTRICT NO. 6 (East Central Counties) ²

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
1945	.76	.34	.22	2.46	2.19	2.65	2.31	4.41	1.50	.50	.27	.08	17.69
1946	.35	.19	1.51	1.09	2.89	1.56	3.41	2.74	1.00	1.37	3.21	.08	19.40
1947	.34	.56	.73	1.81	4.60	3.50	2.42	2.55	.66	1.51	.44	.48	19.60
1948	.76	.48	1.38	1.04	2.57	3.56	2.08	2.19	.37	.21	.51	.25	15.40
1949	.83	.18	1.62	.98	3.24	4.20	2.73	2.26	.49	1.15	.09	.15	17.92
1950	.27	.36	.42	1.10	1.48	1.18	3.58	2.13	2.06	.82	.26	.15	13.81
1951	.53	.47	.44	1.60	2.52	3.35	2.27	2.01	1.36	1.38	.79	.62	17.24
1952	.30	.56	1.24	2.19	2.26	.32	.90	3.06	.85	.10	.80	.37	12.95
1953	2.01	.35	.52	2.34	1.79	1.29	2.22	2.29	.13	.80	.85	.58	15.17
Average 1900-45	.31	.49	.95	2.15	2.32	2.20	2.59	2.35	1.38	.96	.49	.62	16.65

CROP REPORTING DISTRICT NO. 7 (West Central and Southwest Counties) ²

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
1945	.82	1.18	1.75	1.73	.83	.61	1.28	1.97	.49	1.47	.55	1.30	13.98
1946	.52	.30	1.36	1.78	1.59	.24	1.61	2.56	.95	2.07	1.65	.86	16.49
1947	.67	.93	.92	1.04	1.81	1.85	1.03	3.24	1.24	2.70	.84	1.37	17.64
1948	.74	1.97	2.10	1.21	.67	1.87	.95	1.88	.89	1.31	.72	1.61	15.92
1949	2.90	1.03	1.60	1.25	1.55	2.18	1.65	.87	1.27	1.53	.48	1.14	17.45
1950	1.86	1.13	.99	.95	.51	.56	1.60	.46	1.71	.18	.79	1.03	11.77
1951	1.44	.90	.55	1.40	.98	.37	.85	2.04	.73	1.36	1.21	3.51	16.34
1952	2.26	.85	1.58	1.71	.91	.76	1.63	1.93	1.23	0	1.32	.91	15.09
1953	1.06	.42	1.43	1.75	1.19	.52	2.17	1.99	.14	2.71	1.44	.62	15.44
Average 1900-45	1.39	1.47	1.75	1.61	1.26	.88	1.69	1.94	1.79	1.54	1.07	1.31	17.61

CROP REPORTING DISTRICT NO. 8 (South Central Counties) ²

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
1945	1.19	1.20	2.44	2.18	.73	.38	1.40	2.52	.67	1.34	.34	.92	15.31
1946	.59	.39	1.68	1.63	.89	.08	2.41	2.21	.83	1.97	1.63	.75	15.06
1947	.94	.57	.50	1.51	1.48	1.40	1.27	2.92	1.67	1.52	.78	1.35	16.91
1948	1.45	2.13	1.88	.89	1.50	1.42	.98	1.30	.50	1.18	.54	1.03	14.80
1949	1.88	.99	1.29	1.06	1.59	1.74	2.23	1.03	1.16	.82	.29	.98	15.06
1950	1.27	.79	.77	.62	.55	1.17	1.54	.71	1.24	.48	.84	.77	10.75
1951	1.45	.81	1.06	1.59	.64	.16	.97	2.14	1.16	.69	1.28	2.37	13.32
1952	2.21	.71	1.48	1.43	.90	.36	1.81	2.35	1.44	.02	1.37	.43	14.51
1953	.45	.46	.90	1.27	1.66	.79	2.27	1.07	.05	1.42	1.04	.65	12.03
Average 1900-45	.87	1.03	1.33	1.24	1.04	.83	1.77	1.92	1.24	1.09	.82	.88	13.96

CROP REPORTING DISTRICT NO. 9 (Southeast Counties) ²

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
1945	.91	.47	.35	1.68	1.01	1.66	2.91	3.89	1.16	.76	.13	.27	15.20
1946	.37	.39	1.66	1.26	2.45	1.00	1.88	3.21	.74	1.60	3.28	.07	17.91
1947	.33	.52	1.06	1.67	3.51	2.02	2.33	1.86	.60	.58	.28	.95	15.71
1948	1.16	1.04	1.38	.52	2.61	2.70	1.30	2.18	.62	.22	.45	.18	14.86
1949	.77	.22	1.04	1.45	2.74	3.99	2.73	1.58	.58	.84	.15	.09	16.18
1950	.17	.28	.22	.58	.85	1.52	3.47	1.92	1.65	.31	.16	.13	11.26
1951	.73	.27	.73	1.00	2.62	2.13	1.40	2.41	.39	.73	.86	.36	13.63
1952	.21	.51	.81	2.18	1.64	.27	1.03	1.81	1.12	.01	.77	.35	10.71
1953	2.05	.26	.89	1.22	2.15	.55	2.56	2.53	.11	.68	1.07	.77	14.84
Average 1900-45	.40	.63	.98	1.97	2.00	1.68	2.33	2.09	1.27	1.04	.61	.59	15.60

¹ Compiled from reports issued by the United States Weather Bureau.² For counties included in each Crop Reporting District, see outline map on inside front cover.

SUMMARY OF NORMAL PRECIPITATION BY STATIONS ¹

STATION	Length of Record (Years)	Month												Annual
		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	
Northwest and Mountain District														
Buena Vista	52	.36	.58	.72	.89	.83	.56	1.81	1.33	.72	.64	.45	.39	9.28
Craig	20	.93	.79	1.16	1.41	1.25	1.36	1.07	1.04	1.37	1.42	.76	.96	13.52
Cripple Creek	32	.49	.57	1.10	1.50	1.86	1.56	4.14	3.04	1.29	.84	.48	.54	17.41
Gunnison	62	.78	.80	.70	.73	.82	.73	1.49	1.37	.86	.70	.52	.65	10.15
Hayden	36	1.25	1.18	1.35	1.49	1.57	1.15	1.32	1.38	1.59	1.56	.98	1.33	16.15
Meeker	49	1.19	1.20	1.46	1.96	1.57	1.14	1.53	1.49	1.43	1.59	1.13	1.22	16.91
Salida	46	.51	.71	.79	1.44	1.03	1.00	1.68	1.49	.97	.91	.61	.59	11.73
Spicer	42	.84	.85	1.07	1.16	1.07	.89	1.16	1.24	1.17	1.12	.91	.91	12.39
Steamboat Springs	50	2.25	2.40	2.21	2.21	2.11	1.47	1.46	1.50	1.65	1.90	1.69	2.35	23.20
North Central and Northwest District														
Boulder	60	.51	.76	1.61	2.69	2.99	1.74	1.87	1.53	1.42	1.58	.84	.75	18.29
Ft. Collins	73	.42	.56	1.00	2.02	2.81	1.67	1.60	1.32	1.27	1.14	.48	.45	14.74
Ft. Morgan	62	.26	.30	.67	1.74	2.29	1.81	2.14	1.57	1.12	.84	.35	.34	13.43
Greeley	65	.31	.40	.76	1.59	2.35	1.58	1.60	1.06	.92	.95	.38	.40	12.30
Grover	52	.28	.49	.61	1.47	2.32	1.82	2.13	1.58	1.17	.69	.33	.47	13.36
Julesburg	49	.33	.39	.85	1.98	2.74	2.66	2.40	2.21	1.17	.92	.45	.41	16.51
LaRoy	64	.41	.52	1.14	2.42	2.65	2.56	2.25	2.16	2.27	1.08	.55	.68	17.69
Longmont	52	.34	.49	.84	1.84	2.55	1.73	1.57	1.10	1.07	1.15	.53	.45	13.66
Sedgwick	46	.30	.34	.84	2.07	2.61	2.77	2.50	2.29	1.45	1.00	.43	.49	17.09
Sterling	44	.32	.34	.80	1.79	2.52	2.39	1.65	1.84	1.26	.96	.45	.46	14.78
East Central District														
Akron	38	.39	.42	1.03	1.97	2.83	2.49	2.72	1.98	1.57	1.04	.55	.56	17.55
Arriba	37	.28	.47	.89	1.74	2.50	2.16	2.52	2.23	1.52	.97	.52	.50	16.70
Burlington	63	.28	.44	.82	1.81	2.40	2.79	2.68	2.58	1.37	.94	.75	.49	17.35
Byers	30	.41	.42	.81	1.81	2.30	1.57	1.67	1.29	1.05	.60	.50	.41	12.84
Cheyenne Wells	60	.31	.47	.90	1.65	2.23	2.58	2.59	2.53	1.27	.93	.44	.45	16.25
Colorado Springs	5	.22	.38	.69	1.56	2.21	1.83	2.86	2.34	1.10	.60	.33	.31	14.43
Denver	81	.67	.47	1.19	2.28	3.52	1.87	1.37	1.10	1.36	1.00	.64	.39	14.86
Ft. Lupton	41	.27	.39	.70	1.20	2.38	2.11	2.17	1.84	1.15	1.02	.42	.26	14.31
Haswell	30	.23	.29	.53	1.08	2.40	2.02	2.36	1.76	.97	.88	.58	.25	13.35
Holyoke	58	.25	.39	.93	2.10	2.81	3.16	2.55	2.25	1.37	.88	.40	.47	17.56
Limon	5	.33	.40	.81	1.60	2.14	2.00	2.43	2.09	1.26	.81	.55	.59	15.01
Monument	42	.52	.75	1.40	2.59	2.56	1.78	2.93	2.84	1.34	1.12	.85	.67	19.33
Parker	26	.39	.44	.99	1.86	2.24	1.80	2.04	1.75	1.01	.95	.70	.48	14.65
Rush	36	.16	.30	.52	1.41	1.13	1.76	2.27	2.37	1.12	.45	.29	.25	13.03
Wray	55	.32	.49	.88	2.39	2.87	2.87	2.77	2.37	1.39	1.00	.46	.44	18.25
Yuma	63	.37	.48	1.04	2.00	2.52	2.79	2.66	2.36	1.08	.97	.45	.48	17.20
West Central and Southwest District														
Cedaredge	54	.88	.99	1.13	1.06	1.07	.72	.92	1.17	1.27	1.15	.65	.80	11.81
Collbran	61	1.16	1.19	1.58	1.61	1.37	.79	1.19	1.50	1.54	1.44	1.02	1.08	15.47
Cortez	40	1.10	1.39	1.57	1.36	.90	.66	1.52	1.68	1.65	1.52	.96	1.53	15.84
Delta	65	.60	.51	.64	.65	.79	.44	.75	1.05	.97	.84	.50	.54	8.28
Dolores	22	1.44	1.58	1.89	1.52	1.16	1.06	1.70	1.62	1.60	1.75	1.18	2.07	18.57
Durango	61	1.54	1.64	1.75	1.45	1.13	.87	1.95	2.14	1.95	1.87	1.18	1.69	19.16
Ft. Lewis	52	1.39	1.77	1.59	1.38	1.08	.86	2.13	2.22	1.91	1.75	1.02	1.59	18.69
Fruita	54	.85	.73	.93	.76	.74	.49	.79	1.00	1.11	.99	.67	.71	9.77
Glenwood Springs	53	1.47	1.43	1.56	1.55	1.31	1.01	1.40	1.64	1.41	1.27	2.21	1.29	17.55
Grand Junction	63	.60	.61	.76	.83	.81	.40	.61	1.17	.92	.95	.57	.63	8.86
Ignacio	39	1.13	1.21	1.34	1.16	1.01	.88	1.81	2.06	1.61	1.37	.87	1.17	15.62
Mancos	6	1.38	1.44	1.99	1.64	1.27	.95	1.82	1.86	1.50	1.56	1.06	1.18	17.65
Montrose	13	.62	.58	.78	.96	.87	.47	.83	1.30	1.03	.98	.55	.68	9.65
Northdale	23	1.10	1.16	1.31	1.08	.83	.63	1.15	1.45	1.91	1.52	.87	1.19	14.20
Norwood	24	1.00	1.27	1.45	1.56	1.10	.96	1.78	1.97	1.52	1.32	.82	1.11	15.86
Palisade	42	.60	.50	.82	1.05	.83	.58	.86	1.00	1.24	1.21	.71	.54	9.94
Paonia	55	1.37	1.36	1.51	1.53	1.32	.72	1.01	1.33	1.39	1.56	1.11	1.31	15.52
Rifle	38	.89	.67	.98	1.05	.94	.56	1.11	1.06	1.08	1.18	.76	.83	11.11
South Central District														
Alamosa	8	.26	.13	.27	.74	.75	.52	1.20	.92	.97	.60	.17	.33	6.86
Blanca	43	.34	.49	.46	.93	.80	.67	1.77	1.80	.93	.76	.57	.45	9.97
Del Norte	34	.36	.30	.52	.74	.69	.59	1.29	1.50	.89	.64	.44	.31	8.27
Manassa	50	.22	.26	.37	.57	.67	.47	.99	1.35	.72	.69	.26	.26	6.83
Monte Vista	20	.37	.35	.47	.86	.67	.52	1.13	1.00	.72	.51	.21	.35	7.16
Saguache	57	.25	.34	.39	.62	.76	.82	1.55	1.55	.83	.71	.29	.29	8.40
Southeast District														
Bloom	21	.27	.41	.78	1.59	2.17	1.15	1.71	1.31	.91	.64	.77	.40	12.11
Canon City	65	.40	.53	.84	1.56	1.72	1.13	1.85	1.88	.95	.77	.56	.68	12.87
Holly	55	.30	.50	.58	1.66	2.11	2.29	2.39	2.16	1.26	.92	.47	.44	15.08
Lamar	64	.31	.51	.83	1.59	2.24	2.21	2.51	2.03	1.21	.96	.49	.55	15.44
Las Animas	71	.26	.40	.63	1.44	2.01	1.56	2.06	1.62	.90	.74	.39	.45	12.46
Pueblo	11	.31	.49	.59	1.31	1.60	1.36	1.94	1.82	.75	.66	.36	.50	11.69
Rocky Ford	64	.30	.32	.63	1.45	1.93	1.45	2.25	1.56	.83	.83	.44	.39	12.43
Springfield	48	.48	.62	1.14	1.76	2.56	2.13	2.33	1.94	1.46	.98	.68	.59	16.67
Troy	12	.33	.28	1.08	1.92	2.49	2.41	2.47	2.37	1.59	1.05	.54	.36	16.89
Two Buttes	58	.34	.55	.80	1.69	2.18	2.19	2.34	1.84	1.35	.85	.47	.54	15.14
Utleyville	32	.34	.30	.78	1.51	2.34	2.09	2.36	1.95	1.41	1.04	.56	.31	14.99
Walsenburg	18	.65	.69	1.41	2.22	1.96	1.09	1.60	1.43	1.25	.96	.66	.54	14.46
Westcliffe	50	.65	.77	1.31	2.30	1.68	1.43	2.55	2.16	1.26	1.13	.83	.74	16.86

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LENGTH OF GROWING SEASON IN COLORADO¹

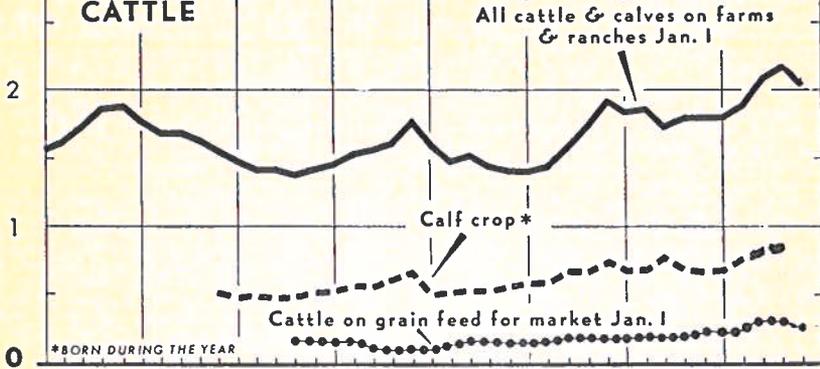
COUNTY	STATION	Length of Record (Years)	No. of Days Between Killing Frosts			Range of Dates of Last Killing Frost in Spring and First in Fall	
			Average	Short-est	Long-est	Spring	Fall
Northwest and Mountain District							
Chaffee	Buena Vista	35	109	78	150	April 19 to June 28	Aug. 29 to Oct. 23
	Salida	40	113	68	177	April 28 to June 30	Sept. 3 to Nov. 1
Gunnison	Gunnison	12	77	35	130	May 13 to July 11	July 31 to Oct. 2
Jackson	Spicer	7	60	11	92	June 4 to July 12	July 11 to Sept. 11
Moffat	Craig	11	81	47	137	May 19 to July 12	Aug. 15 to Oct. 4
Moffat	Lay	41	80	30	168	April 7 to July 7	Aug. 11 to Sept. 26
Rio Blanco	Meeker	54	91	47	120	May 17 to July 13	Aug. 12 to Oct. 10
Routt	Hayden	31	95	52	154	May 1 to July 4	July 31 to Oct. 9
Routt	Steamboat Springs	8	55	4	121	June 10 to July 12	July 2 to Sept. 30
Teller	Victor	26	99	46	134	May 22 to July 8	July 13 to Oct. 6
North Central and Northeast District							
Boulder	Boulder	54	161	125	207	April 13 to June 13	Sept. 15 to Nov. 10
Boulder	Longmont	45	147	89	181	April 10 to June 16	Sept. 13 to Oct. 29
Larimer	Ft. Collins	56	144	94	181	April 10 to June 13	Sept. 7 to Oct. 18
Logan	Le Roy	44	155	100	184	April 13 to May 27	Aug. 25 to Oct. 27
Logan	Sterling	41	145	95	188	April 10 to June 12	Sept. 9 to Oct. 28
Morgan	Ft. Morgan	53	146	87	193	April 12 to June 30	Aug. 25 to Oct. 30
Sedgwick	Julesburg	36	145	94	187	April 15 to June 19	Sept. 15 to Oct. 29
Sedgwick	Sedgwick	36	147	126	175	April 10 to June 27	Sept. 9 to Oct. 24
Weld	Greeley	56	148	94	180	April 9 to June 13	Sept. 7 to Oct. 18
Weld	Grover	41	127	82	169	April 10 to June 30	Aug. 25 to Oct. 18
East Central District							
Cheyenne	Cheyenne Wells	55	154	120	182	April 5 to June 4	Sept. 9 to Oct. 26
Denver	Denver	70	164	110	204	Mar. 30 to June 6	Sept. 9 to Nov. 6
Douglas	Castle Rock	31	152	99	154	April 19 to June 10	Sept. 10 to Oct. 15
Elbert	Hampis	27	134	98	164	April 25 to June 10	Sept. 6 to Oct. 23
El Paso	Calhan	35	138	108	174	April 19 to June 6	Sept. 2 to Oct. 27
El Paso	Colorado Springs	56	149	112	194	April 16 to June 3	Sept. 4 to Oct. 29
El Paso	Monument	39	121	85	159	April 21 to June 19	Sept. 3 to Oct. 13
Kiowa	Fads	32	156	129	194	April 5 to June 5	Sept. 9 to Nov. 2
Kit Carson	Burlington	44	157	111	193	April 7 to June 4	Sept. 23 to Nov. 3
Lincoln	Arriba	29	141	94	172	April 21 to June 7	Sept. 6 to Oct. 20
Lincoln	Limon	41	143	105	172	April 19 to June 13	Sept. 9 to Oct. 28
Phillips	Holyoke	42	147	108	194	April 15 to June 6	Sept. 12 to Oct. 29
Washington	Akron	23	146	121	188	April 21 to June 5	Sept. 9 to Oct. 28
Yuma	Wray	52	129	114	179	April 11 to May 29	Sept. 12 to Oct. 26
West Central and Southwest District							
Archuleta	Pagosa Springs	19	75	37	138	May 20 to July 29	Aug. 4 to Oct. 4
Delta	Cedaredge	49	142	95	199	April 12 to June 13	Sept. 10 to Oct. 28
Delta	Crawford	14	137	111	171	May 3 to June 12	Sept. 14 to Oct. 26
Delta	Delta	55	147	94	199	April 7 to June 18	Sept. 11 to Oct. 29
Delta	Paonia	47	154	92	228	April 5 to June 17	Sept. 16 to Nov. 11
Dolores	Northdale	12	109	84	150	May 7 to July 12	Sept. 9 to Oct. 23
Garfield	Glenwood Springs	47	131	58	171	April 4 to June 13	Aug. 9 to Oct. 25
Garfield	Rifle	36	142	91	195	Mar. 5 to June 17	Sept. 9 to Oct. 25
La Plata	Durango	55	117	79	172	April 22 to June 26	Sept. 9 to Oct. 23
La Plata	Ft. Lewis	12	101	73	149	May 5 to June 29	Aug. 30 to Oct. 8
La Plata	Ignacio	36	108	69	150	April 24 to June 22	Aug. 28 to Oct. 15
Mesa	Collbran	50	124	78	165	April 23 to July 3	Sept. 8 to Oct. 24
Mesa	Fruita	49	154	115	201	April 3 to July 1	Sept. 9 to Oct. 31
Mesa	Grand Junction	59	190	136	235	Mar. 15 to May 19	Sept. 9 to Nov. 11
Mesa	Palisade	35	183	142	222	Mar. 19 to May 26	Sept. 9 to Nov. 13
Montezuma	Cortez	12	136	101	189	April 23 to June 18	Sept. 9 to Oct. 30
Montezuma	Dolores	14	129	109	151	May 4 to June 5	Sept. 19 to Oct. 28
Montezuma	Mancos	20	110	70	143	May 14 to July 6	Aug. 27 to Oct. 24
Montrose	Montrose	58	150	112	200	April 7 to June 13	Sept. 14 to Nov. 2
Montrose	Redvale	11	129	90	163	April 27 to June 13	Sept. 9 to Oct. 26
San Miguel	Norwood	12	102	80	144	May 20 to June 29	Sept. 9 to Oct. 12
South Central District							
Alamosa	Alamosa	12	103	73	144	May 9 to June 29	Aug. 30 to Oct. 1
Alamosa	Garnet	43	98	65	140	May 3 to July 7	Aug. 13 to Oct. 10
Conejos	Manassa	42	99	45	127	May 7 to June 20	Aug. 2 to Sept. 30
Costilla	San Luis	30	108	68	128	May 16 to July 6	Sept. 5 to Oct. 11
Rio Grande	Del Norte	11	112	83	163	May 1 to June 23	Sept. 9 to Oct. 11
Rio Grande	Monte Vista	12	106	85	152	May 2 to June 28	Sept. 9 to Oct. 1
Saguache	Saguache	48	118	77	178	April 21 to June 26	Aug. 28 to Oct. 16
Southeast District							
Baca	Two Buttes	47	168	124	205	April 8 to June 2	Sept. 17 to Nov. 4
Bent	Las Animas	58	161	123	224	Mar. 23 to June 1	Sept. 7 to Nov. 2
Custer	Westcliffe	43	95	3	131	May 5 to July 25	Aug. 1 to Oct. 10
Fremont	Canon City	58	166	124	207	Mar. 7 to June 2	Sept. 17 to Nov. 11
Huerfano	Huerfano	16	131	110	150	Mar. 7 to June 6	Sept. 21 to Oct. 12
Las Animas	Hoehne	34	147	73	201	April 18 to July 4	Sept. 10 to Nov. 16
Otero	Rocky Ford	58	164	113	221	Mar. 5 to June 2	Sept. 17 to Oct. 27
Prowers	Holly	46	167	134	202	April 2 to June 2	Sept. 17 to Oct. 31
Prowers	Lamar	55	167	135	193	April 3 to May 29	Sept. 17 to Oct. 31
Pueblo	Pueblo	62	172	131	218	Mar. 21 to June 2	Sept. 12 to Oct. 31

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LIVESTOCK ON FARMS, COLORADO

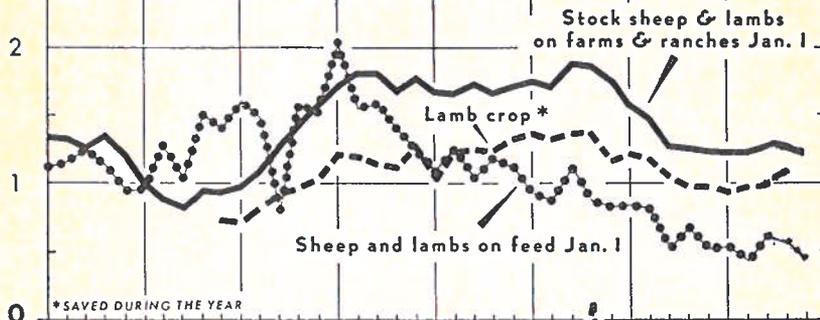
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CATTLE



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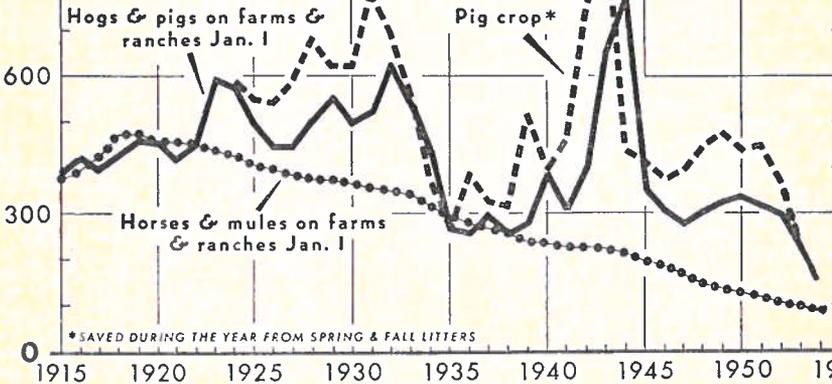
SHEEP



*SAVED DURING THE YEAR

THOUS. HEAD

HOGS, AND HORSES & MULES



*SAVED DURING THE YEAR FROM SPRING & FALL LITTERS

1915 1920 1925 1930 1935 1940 1945 1950 1955

LIVESTOCK

Summary of livestock numbers and value on farms January 1

	Number on Farms January 1			Value Per Head January 1			Total Value January 1		
	1952	1953	1954	1952	1953	1954	1952	1953	1954
	Thousands			Dollars			Thousand Dollars		
All Cattle and Calves.....	2,098	2,161	2,096	177.00	117.00	88.00	371,346	252,837	184,448
Cows 2 Years Old for Milk ¹ ...	180	182	187	264.00	199.00	155.00	47,520	36,218	28,985
Hogs and Pigs.....	299	209	155	25.60	20.40	32.00	7,654	4,264	4,960
Sheep and Lambs on Feed.....	625	545	465	31.00	17.00	15.00	19,375	9,265	6,975
Stock Sheep	1,299	1,299	1,221	34.10	18.20	15.30	44,296	23,642	18,681
Horses	97	87	81	31.00	34.00	36.00	3,007	2,958	2,916
Mules	4	4	3	45.00	50.00	50.00	180	200	150
Chickens	2,802	2,502	2,549	1.25	1.20	1.20	3,502	3,002	3,059
Turkeys	60	48	36	7.80	6.20	6.80	468	298	245
TOTAL VALUE.....							449,828	296,466	221,434
Cattle on Grain Feed Jan. 1 ¹ ...	300	296	245						
Calf Crop, Annual.....	783	838	---						
Lamb Crop, Annual.....	984	1,047	---						
Pig Crop, Annual.....	366	234	---						

¹ These figures included in all cattle and calves.

LIVESTOCK INVENTORY AND VALUE—JANUARY 1, 1954 and 1953

Colorado's January 1, 1954 inventory of beef cattle, stock sheep, hogs, horses and turkeys was smaller than a year earlier but there were more milk cows and chickens on farms and ranches. It is noteworthy that the decline in beef cattle numbers was entirely due to a smaller inventory of steers, heifers and calves. The number of beef cows retained in breeding herds as of January 1, 1954 was 4 percent larger than the number one year earlier and at 779,000 head was the largest on record. Values per head of cattle and stock sheep declined sharply for the second consecutive year during 1953 with January 1, 1954 inventory values per animal less than half the record high values per head of January 1, 1952. The aggregate value of all species of animals and poultry January 1, 1954 was \$221,434,000, a decline of 25 percent from the January 1, 1953 valuation of \$296,466,000. The January 1, 1954 valuation was less than one-half the record high \$449,828,000 aggregate value attained two years previously and 14 percent less than the 10-year (1943-52) average of \$258,802,000. The number of hogs and pigs on farms January 1, 1954 declined for the fourth successive year to reach the lowest level since 1906, while the vanishing horse population declined another 7 percent in 1953 to 81,000 head—the lowest level since 1882.

Cattle and Calves—On January 1, 1954, the number of all cattle and calves on hand was 2,096,000 head, 3 percent less than the record high inventory of 2,161,000 head on January 1, 1953, but 13 percent greater than the 1943-52 average of 1,849,000.

Feed grains and hay held on farms and ranches the first of 1954 were in good supply—slightly exceeding the combined amount of these grains and hay available on January 1, 1953. With feed and roughages available for wintering stock and faced with lower prices at the market, cattlemen held a greater proportion of mature beef and dairy cows in breeding herds at the beginning of 1954 than a year earlier. Beef cows January 1, 1954 totalled a record high of 779,000 head, 30,000 more than on the same date the previous year. Numbers of other classes of beef stock on hand January 1, 1954 as compared with the same class January 1, 1953 were as follows: heifers 1-2 years old, 208,000 and 238,000; calves, 509,000 and 514,000; steers one year old and over 255,000 and 324,000; bulls one year old and over 50,000 and 48,000. Even though the southern area was plagued with drought conditions during 1953, stockmen were able to retain breeder cattle numbers near the January 1, 1953 level. The number of steers, heifers, and calves was reduced and this resulted in the decreased total inventory.

Cattle in feed lots being fattened for market on January 1, 1954 totalled 245,000 head, 17 percent or 51,000 head below the corresponding estimate of 296,000 head on feed one year earlier and the smallest number since 1951. For the five year period 1948-52, the average number on feed January 1 was 223,000 head. Feeding operations in northern Colorado were curtailed by 18 percent with numbers in this area reduced to 213,000 head January 1, 1954 as compared with 260,000 head January 1, 1953. In the Arkansas Valley feeding area, numbers were reduced by about 13 percent during 1953 to total 26,000 head on feed January 1, 1954. The Western Slope and other sections of the state reported holdings nearly the same as a year earlier. The bulk of the decrease in cattle feeding during 1953 was in the smaller farm lot operations. As a result of heavy financial losses suffered during the 1952-53 feeding season, many farm lots were not filled for the 1953-54 season or were stocked with reduced numbers. Although the larger commercial lots were generally well filled, the number being fed in these lots during the 1953-54 season was smaller than in the preceding season.

The average value per head of all cattle and calves at \$88.00 January 1, 1954 compared with \$117.00 a year earlier, the record high of \$177.00 two years earlier, and the 10-year average of \$108.05. Total value of the entire inventory January 1, 1954 was \$184,448,000 compared with \$252,837,000 January 1, 1953, \$371,346,000 January 1, 1952 and \$201,733,000 the ten-year average.

The number of milk cows increased for the second successive year during 1953 to total 187,000 head on hand January 1, 1954. This was 3 percent above the 182,000 head on hand January 1, 1953 but 14 percent under the 1943-52 average of 217,000. Value per head January 1, 1954 was \$155.00 against \$199.00 one year earlier and \$264.00 the record high of January 1, 1952. Total value of the inventory (included with all cattle and calves) at the beginning of 1954 was \$28,985,000, 20 percent under the January 1, 1953 inventory value of \$36,218,000. Milk production per cow continued to increase and 1953 saw the highest annual average of record. The number of heifers one to two years old being kept for milk cows on hand January 1, 1954 was estimated at 48,000 head, the same number as on hand January 1, 1953. The number of heifer calves increased slightly to 60,000 head compared with 58,000 head one year earlier.

Sheep and Lambs—Stock sheep numbers declined 6 percent during 1953 with ewe lamb numbers being reduced at a relatively sharper rate than was the number of breeding ewes over a year old. The inventory of all stock sheep on January 1, 1954 totalled 1,221,000 head compared with 1,299,000 head on the corresponding date one year earlier and was the smallest number since 1926. The ten-year (1943-52) average was 1,420,000 head. The number of ewe lambs declined from 159,000 head on hand January 1, 1953 to 138,000 head on hand January 1, 1954. Ewes over a year old numbered 1,091,000 head January 1, 1953 and 1,036,000 head January 1, 1954. Other classes of stock sheep held on January 1, 1954 were relatively the same as on the same date in 1953.

The average value per head of all stock sheep on January 1, 1954 was \$15.30, the lowest since 1947 and 16 percent under the \$18.20 average for the January 1, 1953 inventory. Total value of the inventory January 1, 1954 was \$18,681,000 compared with \$23,642,000 for the January 1, 1953 inventory.

The number of sheep and lambs being fattened in Colorado feed lots January 1, 1954 was 465,000 head, down 15 percent from the 545,000 head on feed a year earlier, and was the second smallest of record—previous low January 1, 1951 with 435,000 head. The decrease between January 1, 1953 and 1954 occurred primarily in the irrigated areas of northern Colorado. It is estimated that 300,000 sheep and lambs were on feed in this area at the beginning of 1954 compared with 400,000 head on the same date 1953. In general, very favorable weather conditions permitted lambs to make good gains through full use of pastures, beet tops and other field crop residue. The Arkansas Valley and Western Slope areas showed increases in the number on feed compared with January 1, 1953. The 1953 fall movement of lambs into eastern Colorado wheat fields was smaller than in the fall of 1952. Wheat provided only limited pasture. Even with the sharp decline in feeding in recent years Colorado, however, is still one of the leading lamb feeding states in the nation and fattens nearly one third of the lambs fed out in the 14 Western states.

Hogs and Pigs—Continuing the downward trend of recent years, hog numbers dropped another 26 percent during 1953 to total only 155,000 head on

January 1, 1954. This number is approximately one-half the 299,000 head on farms January 1, 1952 and only two-fifths as large as the 10-year average of 395,000 head.

The January 1, 1954 inventory value per head was placed at \$32.00, 57% more than the \$20.40 value January 1, 1953 and 19% more than the 10-year average of \$27.00. Although hog numbers were much reduced, the total value of hogs on hand January 1, 1954 was \$4,960,000. This was an increase of 16 percent from the January 1, 1953 inventory value of \$4,264,000 but well below the 1943-52 average of \$9,753,000 when numbers were much larger.

Pig Crop—Hog production in Colorado during 1953 reached the lowest level in 30 years of record. The combined spring and fall pig crops totalled only 234,000 pigs saved, two-thirds the size of the 1952 yearly total of 366,000 head and only about one-half the 1942-51 average of 513,000 head. The 1953 spring pig crop totalled 132,000 head, 39 percent less than a year earlier and the smallest of record dating back to 1924. The number of sows farrowed, also the smallest of record at 21,000, compared with 36,000 sows farrowed in the spring of 1952. However, specialization and improved breeding practices have brought about an increase in the number of pigs saved per litter, thus tending to minimize the greatly reduced number of sows being farrowed. During the spring of 1953, the number of pigs per litter continued to rise and reached a new record high of 6.3. During the fall of 1953, 102,000 pigs were saved from the litters of 16,000 sows. This compared with the 1952 fall pig crop of 150,000 pigs from 23,000 sows farrowed. Like the spring crop, the fall 1953 crop recorded record low numbers of sows farrowed and pigs saved.

Horses and Mules—Horse numbers continued the decline which began in 1920 with the number on hand January 1, 1954 estimated at only 81,000 head, 6,000 less than January 1, 1953. The high point in Colorado's horse population was reached in 1918-19 when 440,000 head were on hand. Since 1919 a steady decline in horse numbers has been recorded with cow ponies and ranch horses accounting for an ever increasing proportion of the total. Average value per head for the 1954 inventory was placed at \$36.00, giving a total value of \$2,916,000.

Mule numbers declined during 1953 from 4,000 to 3,000 head. Total farm value of mules was \$150,000 on January 1, 1954.

Calf Crop—During 1953, a new record high number of calves were born, thus marking the fourth successive year of new record highs. The 1953 calf crop totalled 838,000 head, 7 percent greater than the 1952 crop of 783,000 head. In addition to previously unequalled numbers of cows of breeding age during 1953, a higher than normal percentage of these cows dropped calves, 90 percent during 1953 compared with 86 percent in 1952 and 84 percent during the years 1942-51. There was a further increase in the number of cows and heifers of breeding age at the beginning of 1954 indicating that a new record high will be attained in the number of calves born during 1954.

Lamb Crop—A total of 1,047,000 lambs were saved from lambs dropped during 1953. This was six percent greater than the 984,000 saved during 1952 and marked the third consecutive year of increase after 1950 when the lowest point since 1927 was reached. An estimated 96 lambs per 100 ewes of breeding age were saved during 1953, the same lambing percentage as a year earlier but above average.

Wool—Production of wool during 1953 totalled 11,636,000 pounds. The 1953 crop was a little smaller than the 1952 clip of 11,688,000 pounds and about 5 percent below the 10-year (1942-51) average shorn wool production of 12,306,000 pounds. Wool production reached a low point in Colorado in 1949 with a clip of only 10,090,000 pounds. The 1953 clip was 15 percent above this low due to an increase in the number of sheep shorn and higher average fleece weights. Total value of the 1953 wool clip at \$5,934,000 was slightly below the \$6,078,000 received by Colorado sheepmen for wool shorn in 1952.

Weight per fleece in 1953 was 9.0 pounds. This compared with 9.1 pounds in 1952 and 8.8 pounds, the 10-year average. The number of sheep and lambs shorn in 1953, estimated at 1,286,000 head, was the same as the number clipped a year earlier but nearly 9 percent less than the average of 1,408,000 head. The

average price per pound received by producers for 1953 crop wool was 51 cents. This compares with 52 cents per pound received in 1952 and the 10-year average price of 49 cents.

Chickens and Eggs—The number of chickens on farms January 1, 1954 was up slightly from the preceding year to total 2,549,000 birds. The January 1, 1953 number, the smallest of record dating back to 1929, was only 2,502,000 birds. The number of chickens raised has been on a generally downward trend since 1943; however, the number raised in 1953 at 5,043,000 birds was the same as in 1952.

Farm consumption of chickens during 1953 totalled 1,377,000 birds valued at \$1,061,000. Chickens sold from farms totalled 3,119,000 birds with cash receipts of \$2,670,000. During 1953, a total of 5,043,000 birds were raised and 500,000 lost. Value of the January 1, 1954 chicken inventory was \$3,059,000 as compared with \$3,002,000 one year earlier. Value per bird was the same both years at \$1.20.

In 1953, a new record high of 179 eggs per layer was established. Due to fewer layers, however, production at 377 million eggs was down four percent from the year before. Although four percent fewer eggs were sold in 1953 compared with 1952, an increase of 6.5 cents per dozen in the season average price resulted in a 12 percent increase in cash receipts. Sales of eggs were valued at \$11,948,000 in 1953 and \$10,673,000 in 1952.

The number of commercial broilers (not included in the chickens raised) increased again during 1953 to continue the expansion which has taken place in this relatively new industry over the last several years. Production in 1953 totalled 2,278,000 birds weighing 6,606,000 pounds. These totals compared with a 1952 production of 2,129,000 birds weighing 6,174,000 pounds. Gross income in 1953 was \$1,982,000 compared with \$1,914,000 in 1952.

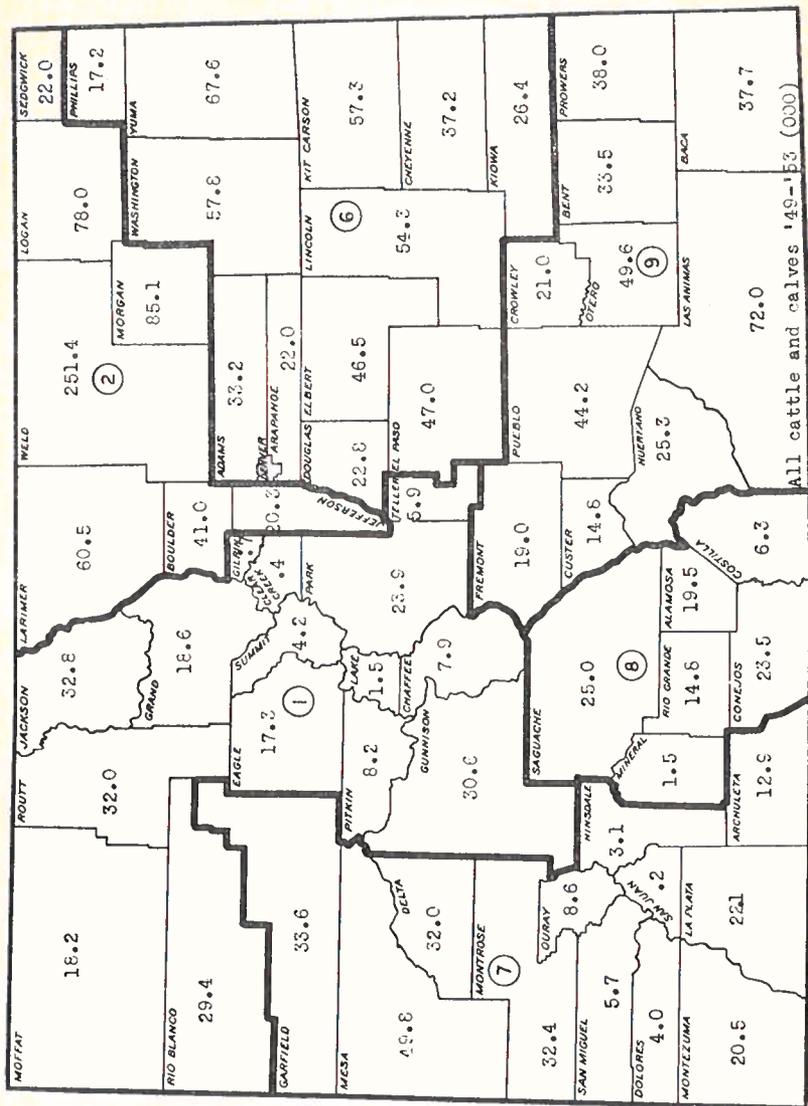
Turkeys—The number of turkeys raised during 1953 declined 12 percent from the year earlier to equal 636,000 birds, the smallest number since 1948. A total of 631,000 turkeys were sold during 1953 for \$4,366,000. This compared with 1952 sales and receipts of 721,000 birds and \$4,556,000. Gross income from turkeys in 1953 was \$4,477,000 compared with \$4,638,000 in 1952.

The number of turkeys on farms January 1, 1954 was only 36,000 birds, 25 percent below the corresponding 1953 total of 48,000 birds and the smallest number of record beginning in 1929. Moreover, the number of breeder hens on hand January 1, 1954 was the smallest of record at 9,000 birds pointing to probable further reduction in numbers.

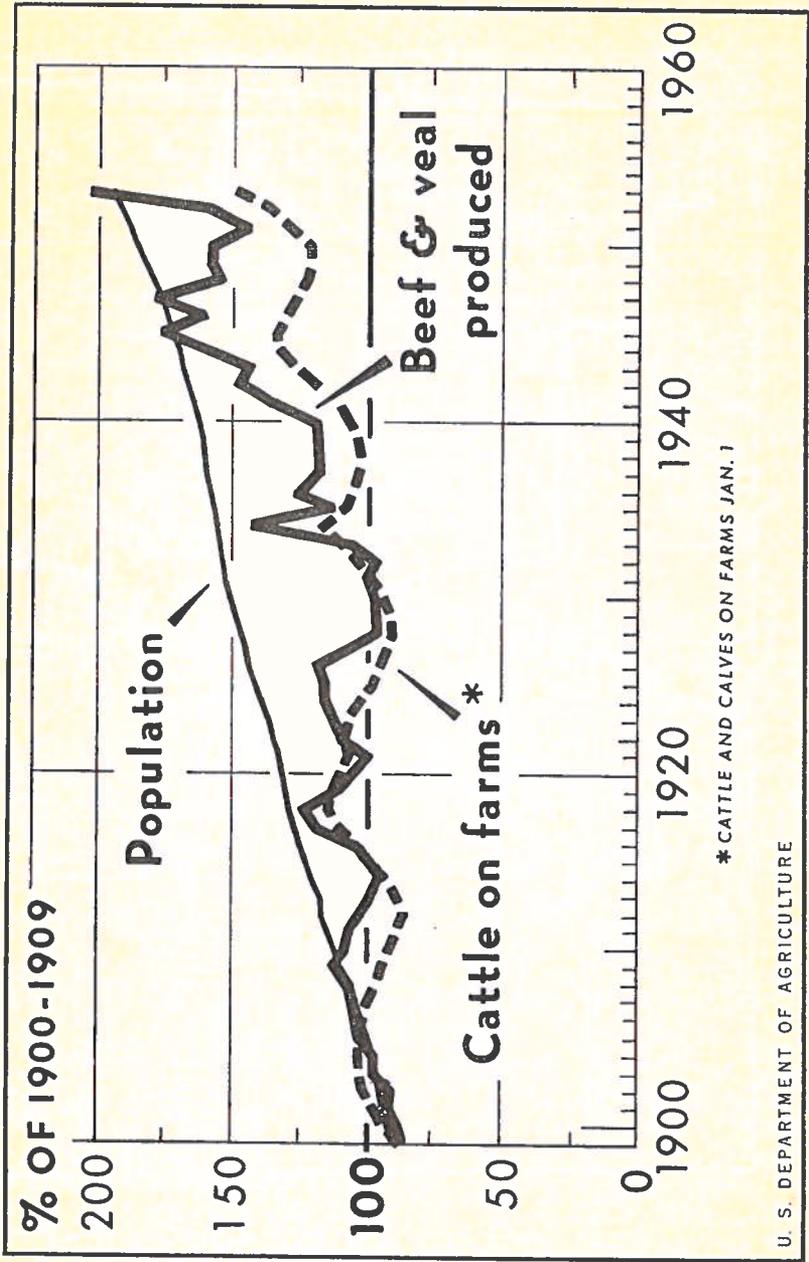
ESTIMATED NUMBER ON FARMS JANUARY 1, 1949-1953

COUNTY	ALL CATTLE AND CALVES					COWS AND HEIFERS Over 2 Yrs. Old (Kept for Milk)				
	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953
Chaffee -----	7,970	6,880	7,140	8,120	9,250	1,010	930	940	950	920
Clear Creek -----	300	420	400	400	520	80	70	60	60	60
Eagle -----	17,140	71,170	16,030	17,360	18,920	1,060	970	910	940	890
Gilpin -----	670	710	610	700	630	10	50	30	30	30
Grand -----	16,050	17,670	18,030	19,450	22,080	1,070	950	860	890	810
Gunnison -----	29,780	30,900	30,090	29,950	32,470	1,370	1,090	1,060	970	960
Jackson -----	30,440	33,140	33,340	35,070	32,000	610	600	630	660	560
Lake -----	1,390	1,690	1,500	1,410	1,670	210	120	100	140	120
Moffat -----	16,730	17,470	18,040	18,600	20,110	1,110	980	920	930	880
Park -----	19,510	22,320	20,580	26,330	30,990	820	570	410	540	400
Pitkin -----	7,860	7,990	7,850	8,460	9,360	680	450	450	480	390
Rio Blanco -----	25,030	26,360	29,810	32,300	33,560	870	790	890	840	770
Routt -----	28,700	28,820	30,950	38,200	33,120	3,010	2,640	2,790	2,440	2,280
Summit -----	3,430	3,420	4,220	4,690	5,230	190	160	170	140	140
Teller -----	5,440	5,520	5,590	5,790	6,950	400	390	290	380	350
Total Northwest District -----	210,530	220,180	224,300	246,830	256,810	12,500	10,760	10,510	10,390	9,560
Boulder -----	40,040	37,090	37,680	45,360	44,610	7,910	7,890	7,190	7,630	7,500
Jefferson -----	19,060	19,240	19,660	21,140	22,310	5,280	5,010	4,790	4,740	4,470
Larimer -----	55,990	56,140	59,450	67,540	63,540	8,010	8,270	8,220	7,720	8,370
Logan -----	72,500	66,960	76,680	87,740	86,270	6,970	7,000	6,750	6,720	6,450
Morgan -----	64,650	66,840	82,900	99,300	111,900	6,000	6,130	6,130	5,930	5,800
Sedgwick -----	20,940	19,130	21,720	24,270	23,900	1,720	1,670	1,830	1,750	1,720
Weld -----	210,380	230,100	261,120	276,350	278,820	23,560	25,960	26,300	23,270	28,190
Total N. Central & N. E. District -----	483,560	495,500	559,210	621,700	631,350	59,450	61,930	61,210	57,760	62,500
Adams -----	28,710	31,600	34,000	34,800	36,840	7,060	7,200	6,380	6,350	6,310
Arapahoe -----	21,310	21,120	20,520	22,740	24,220	5,750	5,410	5,450	5,640	5,770
Cheyenne -----	34,220	29,730	35,630	43,470	42,900	1,780	1,470	1,270	1,280	1,210
Denver -----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Douglas -----	21,970	21,990	21,170	22,470	26,270	2,860	3,440	3,000	2,840	2,810
Elbert -----	45,410	44,000	43,050	48,320	51,830	6,390	6,220	5,900	5,390	5,620
El Paso -----	47,610	44,580	43,470	47,760	51,580	8,450	8,290	7,070	6,800	8,080
Kiowa -----	27,410	23,790	25,870	29,760	24,940	1,510	1,180	1,280	1,250	960
Kit Carson -----	56,990	52,510	51,900	63,200	61,830	5,690	4,310	5,060	3,990	3,730
Lincoln -----	51,440	49,460	49,730	59,990	60,720	3,530	3,040	2,940	3,040	2,860
Phillips -----	15,430	14,600	15,680	20,650	19,490	2,120	2,310	2,370	2,410	2,160
Washington -----	54,700	52,590	55,520	64,450	61,680	7,020	6,240	6,700	4,940	4,300
Yuma -----	64,380	63,240	65,870	72,810	71,630	7,780	7,070	7,690	7,000	6,630
Total East Central District -----	469,580	449,210	462,410	530,420	533,930	59,940	56,180	55,110	50,930	50,440
Archuleta -----	11,430	13,050	12,820	12,400	14,940	1,080	920	780	760	580
Delta -----	32,690	30,590	31,160	31,550	34,250	5,450	5,700	5,280	5,500	5,120
Dolores -----	3,070	3,810	4,130	4,350	4,650	260	340	500	580	300
Garfield -----	33,680	32,770	31,970	33,910	35,760	2,970	3,100	3,060	3,150	3,050
Hinsdale -----	3,350	2,870	2,880	2,990	3,450	130	100	100	90	60
La Plata -----	20,230	21,000	21,700	21,770	25,690	4,740	4,340	3,920	4,190	4,300
Mesa -----	46,520	49,290	47,820	51,000	54,400	6,700	7,090	6,910	7,000	7,010
Montezuma -----	18,640	19,410	18,990	19,760	25,690	3,440	3,000	2,200	2,640	1,490
Montrose -----	31,720	30,800	31,590	32,590	35,320	4,780	4,580	4,480	4,560	4,790
Ourray -----	9,100	8,840	8,170	8,180	8,750	570	500	420	410	430
San Juan -----	210	110	200	150	190	30	30	20	10	10
San Miguel -----	5,720	5,850	5,080	5,650	6,010	600	370	440	450	400
Total West Central & S. W. District -----	216,360	218,390	216,510	224,300	249,100	30,750	30,070	28,110	29,340	27,540
Alamosa -----	18,280	19,440	19,070	18,790	22,040	2,200	1,950	1,950	1,550	1,660
Conejos -----	22,860	23,280	23,780	23,250	24,330	2,070	1,980	1,800	1,810	1,550
Costilla -----	6,540	5,860	5,500	6,880	6,860	490	500	410	480	380
Mineral -----	1,970	2,180	1,100	860	1,200	70	70	60	50	60
Rio Grande -----	15,540	14,760	14,430	13,850	15,310	2,120	1,840	1,700	1,810	1,550
Saguache -----	23,380	25,850	24,720	23,820	27,040	1,290	1,330	1,350	1,300	1,070
Total South Central District -----	88,570	91,370	88,600	87,450	96,780	8,240	7,670	7,270	7,000	6,170
Baca -----	32,970	34,880	41,880	45,690	33,210	2,810	3,020	3,540	3,200	3,620
Bent -----	35,200	30,530	32,000	32,920	36,970	1,860	1,890	1,590	1,830	1,740
Crowley -----	18,320	17,650	19,220	23,990	25,640	1,520	1,400	1,210	1,190	1,360
Custer -----	12,640	13,830	14,340	15,700	17,450	1,600	1,500	1,740	1,950	2,000
Fremont -----	18,970	17,700	18,490	18,080	21,630	1,860	1,970	1,830	1,980	2,000
Huerfano -----	25,670	23,780	23,820	25,450	27,920	1,790	1,900	1,690	1,920	2,040
Las Animas -----	70,710	69,490	68,530	75,550	75,510	2,800	2,630	2,150	2,390	2,010
Otero -----	48,520	42,300	39,940	56,540	60,700	3,010	3,060	2,850	3,030	2,930
Prowers -----	31,890	32,230	40,200	44,630	41,300	2,840	2,990	3,080	2,770	3,300
Pueblo -----	36,510	42,960	40,380	48,640	52,620	5,030	5,080	4,170	4,350	4,850
Total Southeast District -----	331,400	325,350	338,800	387,290	392,950	25,120	25,440	23,850	24,610	25,850
State Total -----	1,800,000	1,800,000	1,889,830	2,097,990	2,160,920	196,000	192,050	186,060	180,030	182,060

ALL CATTLE AND CALVES ON FARMS JANUARY 1
Average Number 1949-1953
(Thousand Head)



UNITED STATES CATTLE NUMBERS, BEEF PRODUCTION, AND POPULATION



* CATTLE AND CALVES ON FARMS JAN. 1

LIVESTOCK ON FARMS, 1946-1954
(Estimated Number and Value January 1)

Year	COLORADO			UNITED STATES		
	Number	Farm Value		Number	Farm Value	
		Per Head	Total		Per Head	Total
Thousands	Dollars	1,000 Dollars	Thousands	Dollars	1,000 Dollars	
HORSES AND COLTS						
1946-----	175	33.00	5,775	8,081	57.50	464,453
1947-----	161	35.00	5,635	7,340	59.30	435,405
1948-----	140	35.00	4,900	6,704	55.70	373,663
1949-----	129	30.00	3,870	6,096	52.50	320,184
1950-----	121	30.00	3,630	5,548	46.00	255,385
1951-----	111	27.00	2,997	4,993	43.50	217,116
1952-----	97	31.00	3,007	4,330	45.80	198,193
1953-----	87	34.00	2,958	3,798	47.20	179,395
1954-----	81	36.00	2,916	3,432	48.80	167,568
MULES AND MULE COLTS						
1946-----	8	58.00	464	3,027	133.00	403,000
1947-----	7	64.00	448	2,789	141.00	392,197
1948-----	6	62.00	372	2,575	133.00	341,764
1949-----	5	54.00	270	2,402	116.00	279,635
1950-----	4	44.00	176	2,233	99.10	221,298
1951-----	4	35.00	140	2,074	81.60	169,270
1952-----	4	45.00	180	1,913	72.40	138,578
1953-----	4	50.00	200	1,753	65.30	114,426
1954-----	3	50.00	150	1,603	61.40	98,402
ALL CATTLE AND CALVES						
1946-----	1,861	72.30	134,550	82,235	76.20	6,263,047
1947-----	1,731	90.20	156,136	80,554	97.50	7,857,732
1948-----	1,800	118.00	212,400	77,171	117.00	8,998,663
1949-----	1,800	134.00	241,200	76,830	135.00	10,382,090
1950-----	1,800	125.00	225,000	77,963	124.00	9,629,964
1951-----	1,890	168.00	317,520	82,025	160.00	13,160,665
1952-----	2,098	177.00	371,346	87,844	179.00	15,722,846
1953-----	2,161	117.00	252,837	93,637	128.00	11,998,139
1954-----	2,096	88.00	184,448	94,677	92.40	8,746,058
COWS AND HEIFERS, TWO YEARS OLD AND OLDER, KEPT FOR MILK						
1946-----	236	105.00	24,780	26,521	112.00	2,977,083
1947-----	224	130.00	29,120	25,842	145.00	3,754,436
1948-----	206	167.00	34,402	24,615	164.00	4,038,230
1949-----	196	200.00	39,200	23,862	193.00	4,615,403
1950-----	192	195.00	37,440	23,853	177.00	4,218,617
1951-----	186	240.00	44,640	23,722	218.00	5,183,235
1952-----	180	264.00	47,520	23,369	251.00	5,870,630
1953-----	182	199.00	36,218	24,094	202.00	4,862,803
1954-----	187	155.00	28,985	24,735	146.00	3,614,427
HOGS AND PIGS						
1946-----	303	22.10	6,696	61,806	24.00	1,468,450
1947-----	276	35.40	9,770	56,810	36.00	2,046,471
1948-----	304	43.60	13,254	54,590	42.90	2,339,776
1949-----	325	34.80	11,310	56,257	38.30	2,154,480
1950-----	338	24.60	8,315	58,852	27.20	1,597,900
1951-----	318	31.20	9,922	62,852	33.30	2,094,238
1952-----	299	25.60	7,654	63,582	30.00	1,905,390
1953-----	209	20.40	4,264	54,294	26.00	1,409,938
1954-----	155	32.00	4,960	48,179	36.60	1,763,714
STOCK SHEEP AND LAMBS						
1946-----	1,465	12.20	17,873	35,525	9.57	340,125
1947-----	1,275	13.70	17,468	31,805	12.20	389,375
1948-----	1,262	16.70	21,075	29,486	15.00	441,562
1949-----	1,249	20.60	25,729	26,940	17.00	459,091
1950-----	1,237	21.30	26,348	26,182	17.80	466,228
1951-----	1,237	32.40	40,079	27,253	26.50	721,484
1952-----	1,299	34.10	44,296	28,050	28.00	786,415
1953-----	1,299	18.20	23,642	27,700	15.80	437,002
1954-----	1,221	15.30	18,681	26,905	13.90	372,958

LIVESTOCK ON FARMS JANUARY 1, BY CLASSES
CATTLE

Year	Total	Kept for Milk			Other Cattle				
		Cows 2 Years and Over	Heifers 1 to 2 Years	Heifer Calves	Cows 2 Years and Over	Heifers 1 to 2 Years	Calves	Steers 1 Year and Over	Bulls 1 Year and Over
		Thous- ands	Thous- ands	Thous- ands	Thous- ands	Thous- ands	Thous- ands	Thous- ands	Thous- ands
1946	1,861	236	54	58	622	207	424	220	40
1947	1,731	224	43	60	636	179	383	166	40
1948	1,800	206	45	56	637	185	423	208	40
1949	1,800	196	41	57	595	212	423	236	40
1950	1,800	192	45	61	615	211	421	212	43
1951	1,890	186	51	64	675	215	448	208	43
1952	2,098	180	55	59	730	222	493	313	46
1953	2,161	182	48	58	749	238	514	324	48
1954	2,096	187	48	60	779	208	509	255	50

SHEEP AND LAMBS

Year	All Sheep	On Feed	Stock Sheep					
			Total	Lambs		1 Year and Over		
				Ewes	Wethers and Rams	Ewes	Rams	Wethers
Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	
1946	2,270	805	1,465	146	13	1,263	40	3
1947	1,795	520	1,275	115	12	1,112	33	3
1948	1,937	675	1,262	135	13	1,079	32	3
1949	1,769	520	1,249	154	15	1,043	34	3
1950	1,782	545	1,237	168	16	1,015	35	3
1951	1,672	435	1,237	179	15	1,005	35	3
1952	1,924	625	1,299	220	15	1,025	36	3
1953	1,844	545	1,299	159	10	1,091	36	3
1954	1,686	465	1,221	133	10	1,036	34	3

HOGS

Year	Total	Under 6 Months	6 Months and Over	
			Sows and Gilts	Other
			Thousands	Thousands
1946	303	155	42	106
1947	276	119	44	113
1948	304	155	46	103
1949	325	179	48	98
1950	338	183	47	108
1951	318	168	46	104
1952	299	165	38	96
1953	209	126	23	60
1954	155	89	26	40

SHEEP AND LAMBS ON FEED (ESTIMATED NUMBER JANUARY 1)
(By Sections of the State)

Year	Northern Colorado	Arkansas Valley	San Luis Valley	Western Slope	Miscellaneous Sections	State Total	U. S. Total
	Thousand Head	Thousand Head	Thousand Head	Thousand Head	Thousand Head	Thousand Head	Thousand Head
1947	390	65	5	20	40	520	5,693
1948	445	140	--	25	65	675	4,851
1949	350	130	--	30	10	520	4,003
1950	420	80	--	25	20	545	3,644
1951	325	75	--	20	15	435	3,382
1952	445	140	--	15	25	625	4,038
1953	400	90	--	15	40	545	4,161
1954	300	110	--	30	25	465	3,997

CATTLE ON GRAIN FEED FOR MARKET (ESTIMATED NUMBER JANUARY 1)
(By Sections of the State)

Year	Northern Colorado	Arkansas Valley	Western Slope	Other Sections	State Total	U. S. Total
	Thousand Head	Thousand Head	Thousand Head	Thousand Head	Thousand Head	Thousand Head
1947	145	12	2	2	161	4,322
1948	157	17	2	4	180	3,821
1949	175	22	2	3	202	4,540
1950	180	19	3	4	206	4,463
1951	200	22	3	4	229	4,598
1952	260	33	3	4	300	5,024
1953	260	30	3	3	296	5,884
1954	213	26	3	3	245	5,334

SHEEP AND LAMBS FED IN TRANSIT (EXCLUDING ANIMALS GRAZED IN TRANSIT),¹ 1939-53
(Compiled from Reports of the Colorado Tax Commission)

COUNTY	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953
(In Thousands of Head)															
Adams -----	9	4	14	25	6	19	18	11	8	3	2	2	7	20	6
Boulder -----	7	9	9	9	7	5	10	6	5	2	4	3	3	2	2
Larimer -----	164	179	123	155	163	146	132	116	102	110	92	76	63	83	80
Logan -----	47	24	32	41	25	29	41	31	8	12	7	9	4	10	4
Morgan -----	177	117	150	157	127	108	91	78	45	47	34	33	25	47	38
Sedgwick -----	3	3	2	5	6	4	3	10	4	5	3	3	3	2	1
Washington -----	5	7	4	7	3	1	2	2	1	1	2	--	--	1	1
Weld -----	339	327	285	354	327	330	347	244	192	228	171	210	158	229	216
Total Northern Colorado Area	752	673	623	756	678	645	656	508	372	410	315	338	262	395	352
Baca -----	--	--	1	--	--	--	8	18	19	--	--	3	3	4	--
Bent -----	54	41	39	79	41	20	9	--	--	--	6	10	14	16	13
Crowley -----	1	1	2	1	--	3	1	4	3	--	--	--	5	14	3
Otero -----	47	37	42	35	27	23	10	26	8	20	12	12	15	19	20
Prowers -----	62	22	41	45	36	25	34	62	14	41	26	29	42	94	18
Pueblo -----	--	6	8	14	15	7	4	4	14	27	11	10	5	13	13
Total Arkansas Valley Area	164	107	133	175	120	78	66	114	57	88	55	64	84	160	69
STATE TOTAL	933	801	775	957	823	735	734	641	453	521	385	410	353	569	426

CATTLE FED IN TRANSIT (EXCLUDING ANIMALS GRAZED IN TRANSIT),¹ 1939-53
(Compiled from Reports of the Colorado Tax Commission)

COUNTY	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953
(In Thousands of Head)															
Adams -----	3	2	4	6	6	3	3	6	4	4	5	5	8	5	6
Boulder -----	12	12	13	16	12	9	13	12	10	12	15	14	14	20	16
Larimer -----	14	18	16	19	19	15	16	18	16	18	18	18	18	23	16
Logan -----	17	12	16	18	15	13	17	15	13	15	22	17	18	23	21
Morgan -----	13	12	17	19	20	18	16	19	18	23	25	32	37	48	61
Sedgwick -----	3	4	4	6	5	5	5	6	8	6	5	5	5	5	5
Washington -----	1	2	1	2	1	1	1	3	--	1	1	1	1	1	1
Weld -----	58	70	72	80	87	92	83	83	82	108	117	139	158	165	162
Total Northern Colorado Area	122	133	147	167	169	159	157	163	152	191	210	232	263	295	291
Bent -----	1	--	1	1	1	1	1	--	--	--	5	4	2	3	9
Crowley -----	2	2	2	2	2	3	2	3	2	2	1	3	4	5	6
Otero -----	8	6	6	7	9	13	7	9	8	14	13	13	8	17	16
Prowers -----	--	--	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	3	2	2	5	4	3
Pueblo -----	--	--	1	1	--	1	1	2	3	3	4	4	3	5	5
Total Arkansas Valley Area	11	9	10	11	14	20	15	27	16	22	26	27	25	37	41
STATE TOTAL	135	145	158	182	191	184	174	196	174	221	244	265	294	338	338

¹ These totals do not include all animals fattened for market. The purpose of this table is to show the principal counties in which feeding is done. For data on total numbers fed see page 94. The state and district totals here shown include animals fed in a few counties in some areas of the state for which county totals are not given in this table.

ANIMALS SLAUGHTERED IN COLORADO¹
 (Calendar Year Totals)

Year	CATTLE		CALVES		SHEEP AND LAMBS		HOGS	
	Number Slaughtered	Total Live-weight						
	Head	1,000 Pounds						
1948-----	401,000	381,476	15,421	51,100	984,000	97,751	536,000	137,580
1949-----	442,000	428,630	44,500	14,566	638,000	62,586	682,000	169,558
1950-----	490,000	488,023	40,600	13,795	668,000	68,070	743,000	184,184
1951-----	493,000	493,326	24,000	8,689	452,000	47,463	811,000	201,003
1952-----	579,000	568,791	38,600	13,730	581,000	60,505	782,000	190,139
1953-----	759,000	729,217	63,600	21,775	740,000	73,937	640,400	153,405

ANIMALS SLAUGHTERED IN UNITED STATES
 (Calendar Year Totals)

Year	CATTLE		CALVES		SHEEP AND LAMBS		HOGS	
	Federally Inspected	Total ²						
	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands
1947-----	15,524	22,404	7,933	13,726	16,667	18,706	49,116	74,001
1948-----	12,994	19,177	6,907	12,378	15,343	17,371	47,615	70,869
1949-----	13,222	18,765	6,449	11,398	12,136	13,780	53,032	74,997
1950-----	13,103	18,624	5,850	10,504	11,739	13,244	56,964	79,263
1951-----	11,879	16,376	4,985	8,418	10,056	11,075	62,054	76,061
1952-----	13,165	17,856	5,294	8,894	12,694	13,962	62,451	77,690
1953-----	17,630	23,655	7,013	11,698	14,283	15,966	53,313	66,930

¹ Excludes farm slaughter.² Includes animals slaughtered on farms.
MEAT ANIMALS—FARM PRODUCTION, VALUE AND INCOME, 1947-1953
 CATTLE AND CALVES

Calendar Year	Calf Crop (calves born)		In-shipments ¹	Marketings ²		Farm Slaughter Cattle and Calves	Net Production (cattle & calves)		Marketings ³	Cash Receipts	Value of Home Consumption
	% of Cows 2 Yrs. Plus	Number		Cattle	Calves		Amount	Value			
		1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Pounds	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Pounds	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1947-----	88	757	393	767	232	21	512,975	101,906	743,040	149,803	1,340
1948-----	81	683	410	850	154	22	536,360	127,173	824,620	197,438	1,625
1949-----	84	664	438	875	131	20	552,810	117,078	857,180	182,932	1,384
1950-----	86	694	461	844	136	20	588,600	148,697	844,555	214,915	1,699
1951-----	88	758	513	816	155	20	651,925	200,362	836,700	259,351	2,083
1952-----	86	783	553	1,020	157	21	680,045	175,672	1,013,255	264,493	1,772
1953-----	90	838	405	996	218	25	666,455	118,776	987,275	178,327	1,450

SHEEP AND LAMBS

Calendar Year	Lambs Saved		In-shipments ¹	Marketings ²		Farm Slaughter Sheep and Lambs	Net Production (sheep & lambs)		Marketings ³	Cash Receipts	Value of Home Consumption
	% of Ewes 1 Yr. Plus	Number		Sheep	Lambs		Amount	Value			
		1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Pounds	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Pounds	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1947-----	94	1,045	960	96	1,530	20	90,660	19,352	143,640	29,347	236
1948-----	90	971	861	121	1,629	21	86,006	19,669	155,044	34,033	279
1949-----	93	970	785	138	1,400	15	87,428	19,281	138,298	29,763	209
1950-----	93	944	870	126	1,397	17	88,958	21,812	139,618	34,262	266
1951-----	97	975	890	107	1,305	13	91,961	27,792	130,546	39,910	263
1952-----	96	984	830	96	1,594	14	99,490	22,386	155,630	36,493	208
1953-----	96	1,047	620	165	1,473	13	95,160	17,490	147,810	26,452	158

HOGS AND PIGS

Calendar Year	Pig Crop (Pigs Saved)			In-shipments ¹	Marketings ²	Farm Slaughter	Net Production	Marketings ³	Cash Receipts	Value of Home Consumption
	Spring	Fall	Annual Total							
	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Pounds	1,000 Pounds	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1947-----	226	169	395	1	267	64	87,337	69,237	17,830	3,479
1948-----	245	198	443	1	311	64	96,500	79,420	19,383	3,132
1949-----	273	202	475	--	351	56	102,315	86,715	16,895	2,204
1950-----	256	182	438	1	359	55	99,128	88,188	16,791	2,076
1951-----	260	188	448	2	368	57	100,296	90,416	18,989	2,372
1952-----	216	150	366	1	369	55	88,613	88,988	16,563	1,988
1953-----	132	102	234	--	220	42	55,837	52,017	11,643	1,774

¹ Shipped in from points outside the State and purchased at the Denver Stockyards.² Shipped to points outside the State and to the Denver Stockyards, plus animals slaughtered by local butchers and at small killing plants within the State.³ Live weight.

LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS BY SIZE GROUPS

Federal Census, April 1, 1950

Number of Cattle in Herd	Farms Reporting Cattle and/or Calves on Hand April 1		Number of Milk Cows in Herd	Milk Cows		Cows Milked Yesterday		
	1940	1950		Farms Reporting	Number	Farms Reporting	Number	Milk Production Gallons
Under 10 ---	21,009	12,614	None -----	14,748	---	---	---	---
10—24 -----	9,475	7,825	1— 9 -----	26,008	84,336	24,479	62,888	165,854
25—49 -----	4,658	5,949	10—19 -----	3,610	47,175	3,593	35,127	97,953
50—99 -----	2,662	4,371	20—49 -----	1,075	28,880	1,075	21,796	74,134
100 and over--	2,340	4,168	50 and over--	95	7,401	95	5,877	19,581

Number of Sheep Shorn	On Hand April 1, 1950						Sheep and Lambs Shorn in 1949		Wool Shorn	
	All Sheep and Lambs		Yearling Ewes		Old Ewes		Farms Reporting	Number	Pounds	Value
	Farms Reporting	Number	Farms Reporting	Number	Farms Reporting	Number				
None -----	1,495	156,026	509	39,110	645	38,578	---	---	---	---
Under 25 -----	993	33,895	544	4,944	884	14,653	1,075	10,911	97,515	\$ 43,898
25— 49 -----	428	33,509	237	4,099	401	16,533	464	16,061	143,467	63,793
50— 99 -----	473	69,303	252	4,313	456	34,156	515	35,601	304,688	143,378
100— 299 -----	749	238,839	371	15,886	697	119,379	800	138,576	1,235,113	571,539
300— 599 -----	289	184,569	158	14,153	272	102,734	315	126,483	1,121,598	516,938
600— 999 -----	179	176,203	120	19,341	166	104,926	185	140,233	1,156,760	562,850
1000—2499 -----	207	350,693	149	41,218	189	235,792	214	312,380	2,605,330	1,285,891
2500 and over --	89	414,388	72	51,894	85	294,782	94	398,503	3,404,913	1,697,372

Number in Flock ¹	On Hand April 1, 1950				Turkeys Raised in 1949		Bees	
	Chickens		Turkeys		Farms Reporting	Number	Number of Hives	Farms Reporting
	Farms Reporting	Number	Farms Reporting	Number				
None -----	10,377	---	656	2,533	42,569	---	1— 9 -----	860
Under 25 -----	9,103	148,718	1,333	6,480	2,064	17,843	10— 39 -----	132
25— 99 -----	17,798	883,124	287	2,327	480	22,560	40—159 -----	50
100— 199 -----	5,756	720,058	33	617	98	13,059	160—319 -----	18
200— 399 -----	2,040	498,694	23	271	74	19,716	320—639 -----	21
400— 799 -----	297	149,113	8	112	80	41,712	640 and over--	17
800—1599 -----	126	132,435	7	205	90	98,924		
1600 and over --	39	115,449	15	3,513	123	505,802		

¹ Chickens, number on hand; turkeys, number raised.

MILK—FARM PRODUCTION, DISPOSITION, AND INCOME, 1945-1953

PRODUCTION OF MILK ON FARMS

Year	Number of Milk Cows on Farms ¹ Thousands	Production Per Milk Cow ²		Percentage of Butterfat in Milk Per Cent	Total Production on Farms		Butter Churned on Farms	
		Milk Pounds	Butterfat Pounds		Milk 1,000,000 Pounds	Butterfat in Milk 1,000,000 Pounds	Milk Used 1,000,000 Pounds	Butter Made 1,000 Pounds
1945	220	4,750	180	3.8	1,045	40	56	2,500
1946	209	4,760	181	3.8	995	38	47	2,100
1947	195	5,000	190	3.8	975	37	47	2,100
1948	184	4,980	189	3.8	916	35	43	1,900
1949	176	5,150	196	3.8	906	34	35	1,550
1950	174	5,300	201	3.8	922	35	34	1,500
1951	166	5,350	203	3.8	888	34	33	1,450
1952	160	5,400	205	3.8	864	33	29	1,270
1953	164	5,430	204	3.8	891	33	27	1,200

¹ Average number on farms during year, heifers that have not freshened excluded.

² Excludes milk sucked by calves and milk produced by cows not on farms.

DISPOSITION OF MILK PRODUCED ON FARMS

Year	Milk Fed or Consumed on Farms Where Produced				Milk Sold or Utilized for Producing Dairy Products Sold from Farms				
	Fed to Calves	Consumed in the Farm Household		Total Used on Farms	For Farm-Churned Butter Sold	For Wholesale Deliveries to Plants, Dealers, Etc.		For Retail Sales of Milk and Cream by Farmers ¹	Total Utilized for Products Sold
		As Milk or Cream	As Farm Butter			As Cream	As Milk		
(1,000,000 pounds)									
1945	42	112	50	204	6	380	390	65	841
1946	41	118	43	202	4	341	385	63	793
1947	39	111	43	193	4	331	389	58	782
1948	39	107	39	185	4	300	374	53	731
1949	38	98	32	168	3	288	400	47	738
1950	39	89	31	159	3	317	400	43	763
1951	39	89	33	161	2	296	390	41	727
1952	36	84	29	149	--	277	400	38	715
1953	36	79	27	142	--	274	440	35	749

¹ Approximations based chiefly on population in small town and rural areas where most families purchase their milk from local farmers.

BEES, HONEY AND BEESWAX—1935-1953

Year	Colonies of Bees Thousands	Honey				Beeswax		
		Pounds per Colony	Production Thousand Pounds	Value—Dollars		Pounds per Colony	Production Thousand Pounds	Average Price per Pound Cents
				Per Pound	Total			
1935	62	50	3,100	---	---	---	---	---
1936	60	55	3,300	---	---	---	---	---
1937	59	50	2,950	---	---	---	---	---
1938	54	66	3,564	---	---	---	---	---
1939	59	71	4,189	---	---	---	---	---
1940	60	90	5,400	---	---	---	---	---
1941	64	75	4,800	---	---	1.5	96	35.1
1942	66	90	5,940	.114	677,000	1.5	101	41.1
1943	69	90	6,210	.143	888,000	1.5	106	41.6
1944	71	84	5,964	.142	847,000	1.8	131	42.0
1945	75	81	6,075	.145	881,000	1.5	109	42.0
1946	75	50	3,750	.215	806,000	1.2	90	45.0
1947	75	65	4,875	.216	1,053,000	1.3	98	44.0
1948	74	90	6,660	.148	986,000	1.7	123	43.0
1949	73	60	4,380	.126	552,000	1.1	83	34.0
1950	73	52	3,796	.130	493,000	1.2	91	42.0
1951	68	70	4,760	.132	628,000	1.3	90	51.0
1952	67	85	5,695	.146	831,000	1.6	108	41.0
1953	67	90	6,030	.149	898,000	1.8	121	39.0

SALES PRICE AND VALUE; VALUE OF PRODUCTS CONSUMED IN THE FARM HOUSEHOLD; AND GROSS FARM INCOME FROM DAIRY PRODUCTS—1945-1953

Year	Farm Butter Sold			Cream Sold to Plants, Dealers, Etc. (As Butterfat)			Milk Sold to Plants, Dealers, Etc., at Wholesale		
	Quantity Sold	Price per Pound	Value of Sales	Quantity Butterfat Sold	Price per Pound Butterfat	Value of Sales	Quantity Sold	Price per 100 Lbs.	Value of Sales
	1,000 Pounds	Cents	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Pounds	Cents	1,000 Dollars	1,000,000 Pounds	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1945-----	250	48	120	13,830	49	6,777	390	3.05	11,895
1946-----	190	65	124	12,410	63	7,818	385	3.70	14,245
1947-----	190	72	137	11,980	70	8,386	389	4.58	17,816
1948-----	170	80	136	10,860	77	8,362	374	4.89	18,289
1949-----	140	64	90	10,430	60	6,258	400	4.38	17,520
1950-----	130	63	82	11,480	61	7,003	400	4.22	16,880
1951-----	100	70	70	10,720	70	7,504	390	4.88	19,020
1952-----	--	--	--	10,030	73	7,322	400	5.24	20,960
1953-----	--	--	--	9,920	64	6,349	440	4.74	20,856

Year	Milk and Cream Retailed by Farmers			Combined Sales of Butter, Cream and Milk				Value of Milk Products Consumed in Household on Farms Where Produced ²	Gross Farm Income from Dairy Products ³
	Quantity Sold, Milk Equiv.	Price per Quart	Value of Sales	Milk Utilized	Average Returns ¹		Value of Sales (Cash Income)		
					Per 100 Lbs. Milk	Per Lb. Butterfat			
1,000,000 Quarts	Cents	1,000 Dollars	1,000,000 Pounds	Dollars	Cents	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Dollars	
1945-----	30	12.2	3,660	841	2.67	70	22,452	4,325	26,777
1946-----	29	13.9	4,031	793	3.31	87	26,218	5,329	31,547
1947-----	27	16.4	4,428	782	3.93	103	30,767	6,052	36,819
1948-----	25	17.3	4,325	731	4.26	112	31,112	6,220	37,332
1949-----	22	17.6	3,872	738	3.76	99	27,740	4,888	32,628
1950-----	20	18.2	3,640	763	3.62	95	27,605	4,344	31,949
1951-----	19	20.3	3,857	727	4.18	110	30,393	5,100	35,493
1952-----	18	21.8	3,924	715	4.50	118	32,206	5,085	37,291
1953-----	16	22.3	3,568	749	4.11	110	30,773	4,357	35,130

¹ Computed from the value of milk, cream, and farm butter sold, divided by the quantity of milk or butterfat used in the preparation of these products for market.

² Milk and milk equivalent of cream and farm butter consumed, valued at the average returns for milk utilized in dairy products sold.

³ Value of combined sales plus value of products consumed in the farm household.

WOOL PRODUCTION—1935-1953

Year	COLORADO					UNITED STATES		
	Sheep Shorn	Wt. per Fleece	Production	Value		Shorn	Pulled	Wt. per Fleece
				Per Pound	Total			
Thousands	Pounds	1,000 Pounds	Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Pounds	1,000 Pounds	Pounds	
1935-----	1,527	8.1	12,869	.17	2,103	361,531	66,000	8.0
1936-----	1,555	8.4	13,062	.26	3,396	353,211	66,200	7.9
1937-----	1,615	8.3	13,404	.32	4,289	356,078	66,200	8.0
1938-----	1,588	8.1	12,862	.18	2,315	359,925	64,500	8.0
1939-----	1,635	8.2	13,406	.22	2,949	361,689	64,500	8.0
1940-----	1,667	8.5	14,170	.28	3,968	372,014	62,000	8.0
1941-----	1,634	8.3	13,561	.33	4,475	387,520	65,800	8.1
1942-----	1,797	8.3	14,896	.39	5,809	388,297	66,700	7.9
1943-----	1,805	8.6	15,458	.39	6,029	378,843	65,200	7.9
1944-----	1,694	8.3	13,229	.41	5,424	338,818	73,500	7.8
1945-----	1,481	8.7	12,885	.40	5,154	307,976	70,500	8.0
1946-----	1,377	9.0	12,378	.40	4,951	280,908	61,300	8.1
1947-----	1,224	9.1	11,138	.41	4,567	251,425	56,600	8.1
1948-----	1,199	8.6	10,311	.48	4,949	231,770	46,600	8.1
1949-----	1,187	8.5	10,090	.47	4,742	212,899	35,600	8.1
1950-----	1,215	9.1	11,098	.63	6,992	215,422	32,400	8.2
1951-----	1,200	9.6	11,580	1.00	11,580	225,545	25,900	8.2
1952-----	1,286	9.1	11,688	.52	6,078	232,373	33,600	8.2
1953-----	1,286	9.0	11,636	.51	5,934	230,343	41,000	8.3

MONTHLY CREAMERY BUTTER AND ICE CREAM PRODUCTION, 1942-1952

Year	Plants Number	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual Total
CREAMERY BUTTER PRODUCTION (In thousands of pounds, 000 omitted)														
1942-----	65	1,495	1,488	1,750	1,894	2,534	2,748	2,549	2,278	1,802	1,548	1,387	1,609	23,082
1943-----	62	1,681	1,724	1,987	2,196	2,841	2,996	2,648	2,261	1,820	1,435	1,370	1,338	24,297
1944-----	56	1,400	1,548	1,629	1,717	2,080	2,465	2,290	1,858	1,364	1,125	1,016	1,053	19,545
1945-----	50	1,177	1,172	1,379	1,456	1,807	2,069	1,952	1,578	1,167	1,008	901	876	16,542
1946-----	47	975	993	1,167	1,386	1,664	1,653	1,613	1,380	1,192	1,250	986	1,092	15,351
1947-----	49	998	975	1,215	1,431	1,898	2,117	1,928	1,582	1,206	993	838	967	16,148
1948-----	53	839	812	943	1,245	1,575	1,695	1,670	1,434	1,083	951	886	944	14,077
1949-----	48	870	890	993	1,079	1,385	1,597	1,533	1,326	1,044	963	886	1,106	13,662
1950-----	47	1,043	1,048	1,241	1,371	1,633	1,872	1,765	1,650	1,300	1,148	1,025	1,187	16,283
1951-----	44	1,080	1,124	1,282	1,327	1,565	1,748	1,702	1,472	1,151	1,070	954	1,116	15,591
1952-----	33	955	994	1,079	1,181	1,453	1,538	1,365	1,200	1,025	833	746	1,036	13,405

Year	Plants Number	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual Total
ICE CREAM PRODUCTION (In thousands of gallons, 000 omitted)														
1942-----	175	169	170	244	324	377	469	587	588	471	403	326	273	4,401
1943-----	164	228	225	191	304	374	338	516	511	447	378	258	258	4,028
1944-----	161	211	211	268	297	380	496	522	511	388	310	270	201	4,065
1945-----	160	185	194	235	263	348	383	498	497	503	476	370	303	4,255
1946-----	147	354	367	447	510	569	722	822	838	567	461	341	341	6,339
1947-----	150	361	353	419	438	550	586	723	754	554	457	309	327	5,831
1948-----	149	289	290	378	429	517	572	653	647	504	376	318	299	5,272
1949-----	183	257	314	410	435	499	557	641	679	462	375	348	298	5,275
1950-----	200	301	345	406	428	507	589	626	642	477	453	364	333	5,471
1951-----	180	338	346	415	427	525	577	679	660	503	433	361	333	5,597
1952-----	176	383	398	405	446	535	645	687	656	525	466	367	333	5,846

MILK PRODUCTION IN HERDS KEPT BY GENERAL CROP CORRESPONDENTS, 1942-1953
(Approximately first day of each month)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Yearly Average
DAILY PRODUCTION OF MILK PER COW IN HERD (Pounds per cow)													
1942-----	14.1	14.0	13.7	15.5	16.5	18.8	18.9	17.2	15.6	13.6	12.8	13.3	15.3
1943-----	13.9	15.0	14.1	16.0	18.2	19.4	18.6	17.5	14.7	14.6	12.3	13.0	15.6
1944-----	13.0	13.0	14.8	14.8	14.6	17.9	18.4	17.0	14.3	13.1	13.0	14.1	14.8
1945-----	13.4	14.2	14.8	15.2	17.8	19.3	18.2	17.3	15.1	14.1	12.6	14.0	15.5
1946-----	12.9	13.5	14.3	16.1	17.2	19.5	18.6	17.0	15.9	14.3	13.9	13.3	15.5
1947-----	14.5	14.7	15.4	16.9	18.7	19.9	19.9	18.4	16.4	14.1	13.0	14.3	16.4
1948-----	14.3	14.4	16.0	16.5	18.2	19.8	19.0	17.8	16.0	13.6	14.1	15.5	16.3
1949-----	13.4	14.0	16.8	17.6	17.8	20.0	22.0	17.7	16.4	15.5	14.6	15.2	16.8
1950-----	15.3	16.1	16.9	16.9	18.5	20.5	20.7	18.5	17.1	16.2	15.8	16.1	17.4
1951-----	15.2	16.0	17.5	20.0	18.5	21.4	20.8	19.3	16.5	14.7	14.2	15.3	17.4
1952-----	15.6	15.5	17.4	17.9	19.5	21.5	20.0	18.8	17.4	16.8	15.6	15.9	17.7
1953-----	15.9	18.7	16.9	19.7	18.5	20.4	20.2	19.3	18.0	15.7	15.8	16.8	18.0

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Yearly Average
DAILY PRODUCTION OF MILK PER COW MILKED (Pounds per cow)													
1942-----	20.0	21.0	20.7	22.7	22.8	25.0	24.8	22.6	21.7	20.5	19.7	20.5	21.8
1943-----	21.6	23.0	21.7	23.7	25.0	25.7	24.6	23.1	21.3	21.1	19.1	20.2	22.5
1944-----	20.4	21.3	22.6	23.0	21.3	24.5	25.0	23.8	21.3	20.6	19.9	21.2	22.1
1945-----	21.4	23.1	22.6	24.0	25.4	26.5	24.5	24.3	22.1	21.0	19.3	21.2	23.0
1946-----	20.9	22.2	23.3	24.2	24.3	26.4	24.8	24.1	21.9	21.6	21.4	20.6	23.0
1947-----	23.7	23.6	23.5	25.0	25.1	26.3	25.9	24.2	22.5	21.1	19.4	21.9	23.5
1948-----	21.2	24.2	24.7	24.6	25.9	26.7	25.0	22.7	23.1	20.4	21.6	22.9	23.6
1949-----	23.1	22.6	25.5	25.8	24.4	26.1	28.7	23.8	22.2	22.5	21.8	22.7	24.1
1950-----	23.9	23.9	24.5	24.4	25.1	26.9	27.7	24.6	23.6	23.4	23.2	24.1	24.6
1951-----	23.6	24.7	25.1	27.1	25.8	27.8	27.2	25.6	23.9	23.3	22.3	23.0	24.9
1952-----	23.4	25.1	26.2	25.4	26.9	29.3	26.9	25.5	26.2	24.3	23.5	23.4	25.5
1953-----	24.0	26.4	25.1	27.5	26.6	28.1	27.7	26.2	25.3	23.8	23.5	24.2	25.7

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Yearly Average
PERCENT OF COWS IN HERD FRESH (Percent)													
1942-----	71	67	66	68	72	75	76	76	72	67	65	65	70
1943-----	64	65	65	68	73	75	75	76	69	69	65	64	69
1944-----	63	61	65	64	69	73	74	72	67	64	66	66	67
1945-----	62	61	65	63	70	73	74	71	68	67	65	66	67
1946-----	63	61	62	67	71	74	75	70	73	66	65	65	68
1947-----	61	62	66	68	75	76	77	76	73	67	67	66	69
1948-----	67	60	65	67	70	74	76	78	70	67	66	68	69
1949-----	58	62	66	68	73	77	77	74	74	69	67	67	69
1950-----	64	68	69	69	74	76	75	75	73	69	68	67	71
1951-----	64	64	70	74	72	77	76	75	69	66	64	66	70
1952-----	67	62	67	70	73	73	74	74	66	69	66	68	69
1953-----	66	71	67	72	70	72	73	74	71	66	67	69	70

DAIRY PRODUCTS: QUANTITIES MANUFACTURED, 1945-1952

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PRODUCT	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952
	1,000 lbs.							
Creamery Butter -----	16,542	15,351	16,148	14,077	13,662	16,283	15,591	13,405
American Cheese, all ¹ -----	1,395	806	1,331	444	1,084	1,879	836	375
Italian Cheese, all -----	419	755	724	512	193	-----	-----	-----
Total Cheese ² -----	2,119	1,674	2,195	1,259	1,779	2,042	993	445
Cottage, Pot and Bakers Cheese -----	2,913	3,041	3,384	4,099	4,736	5,445	6,804	7,840
Condensed Milk (sweetened)								
Bulk Goods (skimmed) -----	1,753	3,830	1,240	-----	2,317	1,893	810	921
Bulk Goods (unskimmed) -----	14	84	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Plain Condensed Milk (unsw't'ned)								
Bulk Goods (skimmed) -----	994	133	127	-----	830	917	-----	-----
Bulk Goods (unskimmed) -----	33	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Evaporated Milk (unsweetened)								
Case Goods (unskimmed) -----	25,320	18,845	20,427	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Condensed or Evaporated								
Buttermilk -----	210	71	191	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Dry or Powdered Buttermilk -----	379	376	353	423	530	-----	-----	-----
Total Ice Cream (gallons not pounds) -----	4,255	6,339	5,831	5,272	5,275	5,471	5,597	5,846

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PRODUCT	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952
	1,000 lbs.							
Creamery Butter -----	1,363,717	1,171,339	1,329,094	1,210,324	1,412,111	1,386,408	1,202,981	1,188,170
Renovated or Process Butter -----	2,845	1,441	1,219	1,090	1,419	1,806	903	-----
American Cheese:								
Whole Milk -----	875,084	801,264	932,718	854,447	935,206	892,706	873,458	849,818
Part Skim -----	1,098	2,696	4,906	3,987	769	2,319	888	1,309
Swiss Cheese (including block) -----	50,065	55,695	71,612	70,665	81,043	99,483	92,049	108,032
Brick and Munster Cheese -----	14,756	17,678	26,533	26,506	30,376	30,148	31,880	33,821
Limburger Cheese -----	8,777	9,548	7,753	7,358	7,180	6,003	6,539	6,091
Cream and Neufchatel Cheese -----	86,912	78,803	66,503	56,816	53,495	68,753	73,563	77,151
All Italian Varieties of Cheese -----	64,628	75,388	38,100	43,579	54,863	61,704	57,215	60,875
Blue Mold Cheese -----	9,828	12,451	10,580	9,289	8,141	7,657	5,451	10,883
All Other Varieties of Cheese -----	25,624	52,824	24,241	25,719	23,369	22,714	20,261	22,408
Total Cheese ² -----	1,116,772	1,106,347	1,182,946	1,098,366	1,199,442	1,191,487	1,161,304	1,170,388
Full Skim American Type Cheese -----	2,172	2,367	2,163	1,754	1,251	1,774	1,302	896
Cottage Cheese (curd) -----	-----	246,303	215,302	255,639	283,938	322,803	359,671	376,120
Cottage Cheese (creamed) -----	-----	209,893	230,597	249,236	287,067	352,428	404,997	440,523
Condensed Milk (sweetened)								
Case Goods (skimmed) -----	216	302	243	362	-----	91	1,475	-----
(unskimmed) -----	143,306	113,906	164,733	126,295	100,902	61,973	58,933	54,438
Bulk Goods (skimmed) -----	519,188	818,076	541,813	239,290	215,295	210,637	207,295	167,845
(unskimmed) -----	77,016	69,750	82,553	45,542	47,179	39,210	42,705	49,008
Plain Condensed Milk (unsw't'ned)								
Bulk Goods (skimmed) -----	454,443	487,219	403,194	494,036	537,668	523,182	487,157	504,680
(unskimmed) -----	128,875	98,471	174,525	200,435	202,851	221,724	230,143	220,112
Evaporated Milk (unsweetened)								
Case Goods (unskimmed) -----	3,776,383	3,050,643	3,208,027	3,382,893	2,755,780	2,882,475	2,896,386	2,839,682
Condensed or Evaporated								
Buttermilk -----	160,441	226,708	189,135	170,954	178,383	183,470	174,652	154,599
Dry Buttermilk -----	49,578	38,627	45,437	41,839	49,359	48,837	45,467	47,067
Dry Whole Milk -----	217,276	188,406	164,888	170,087	125,541	124,986	131,017	101,732
Total Nonfat Dry Milk Solids -----	660,054	667,169	700,090	694,677	956,178	898,896	716,775	888,685
Dry Cream -----	203	567	320	312	178	459	1,070	874
Dry Casein -----	12,333	18,319	35,831	14,372	18,348	18,531	21,620	7,482
Malting Milk Powder -----	42,751	45,029	37,354	31,361	25,369	30,710	33,391	29,301
	1,000 gal.							
Total Ice Cream -----	476,357	713,594	630,766	576,261	557,929	554,351	568,849	591,576

¹ Includes part skim American but not full skim American.² Excludes full skim American and cottage cheese.

MONTHLY EGG PRODUCTION, 1945-1953
NUMBER OF LAYERS
(Average Number on Hand During Month)
Thousands

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1945-----	3,384	3,311	3,293	3,112	2,894	2,785	2,604	2,441	2,642	3,007	3,244	3,372
1946-----	3,426	3,444	3,338	3,142	2,910	2,750	2,678	2,624	2,731	2,892	2,944	2,926
1947-----	2,860	2,754	2,632	2,510	2,402	2,296	2,144	2,054	2,205	2,478	2,662	2,783
1948-----	2,889	2,829	2,618	2,421	2,238	2,116	2,056	2,101	2,300	2,498	2,590	2,666
1949-----	2,636	2,690	2,530	2,424	2,348	2,194	2,012	1,996	2,316	2,650	2,771	2,832
1950-----	2,878	2,781	2,700	2,652	2,492	2,348	2,268	2,284	2,462	2,655	2,703	2,638
1951-----	2,573	2,658	2,498	2,348	2,169	2,034	1,900	1,944	2,214	2,438	2,542	2,556
1952-----	2,586	2,540	2,372	2,250	2,173	2,081	1,974	1,976	2,144	2,344	2,406	2,344
1953-----	2,284	2,161	2,022	1,960	1,898	1,867	1,867	1,958	2,172	2,340	2,402	2,371

EGGS PER 100 LAYERS
Number

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1945-----	865	1,117	1,600	1,746	1,817	1,623	1,494	1,333	1,050	797	633	688
1946-----	989	1,294	1,711	1,770	1,841	1,620	1,451	1,302	1,032	784	618	763
1947-----	1,066	1,224	1,637	1,770	1,829	1,638	1,516	1,364	1,131	989	753	753
1948-----	1,057	1,340	1,748	1,845	1,879	1,674	1,612	1,466	1,185	980	786	802
1949-----	1,057	1,210	1,711	1,818	1,922	1,782	1,655	1,463	1,206	1,023	915	998
1950-----	1,135	1,333	1,786	1,812	1,860	1,674	1,581	1,451	1,194	1,023	867	976
1951-----	1,209	1,288	1,724	1,839	1,969	1,686	1,575	1,420	1,143	1,014	954	1,014
1952-----	1,280	1,508	1,804	1,851	1,803	1,698	1,562	1,420	1,200	1,116	1,005	1,097
1953-----	1,376	1,434	1,786	1,866	1,891	1,713	1,668	1,500	1,287	1,252	1,146	1,203

TOTAL EGGS PRODUCED
Millions

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1945-----	29	37	53	54	53	45	39	33	28	24	21	23
1946-----	34	45	57	56	54	45	39	34	28	23	18	22
1947-----	30	34	43	44	44	38	33	28	25	25	20	21
1948-----	31	38	46	45	42	35	33	31	27	24	20	24
1949-----	28	31	43	44	45	39	33	29	28	27	25	28
1950-----	33	37	48	48	46	39	36	33	29	27	23	26
1951-----	31	33	43	43	41	34	30	28	25	25	24	26
1952-----	33	38	43	42	41	35	31	28	26	26	24	26
1953-----	31	31	36	37	36	32	31	29	28	29	28	29

EGGS—FARM PRODUCTION, DISPOSITION AND INCOME, 1945-1953

Year	Hens and Pullets Jan. 1	Eggs Per Layer	Eggs				Price Per Dozen	Value of Eggs Produced	Cash Income From Sales	Value of Eggs Consumed on Farms	Gross Income
			Total Produced	Used for Farm Hatching	Consumed on Farms						
					Sold						
Thousands	Number	Mil-lions	Mil-lions	Mil-lions	Mil-lions	Cents	1,000 Dol-lars	1,000 Dol-lars	1,000 Dol-lars	1,000 Dol-lars	

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1945-----	3,744	117	439	3	79	357	36.2	13,243	10,770	2,383	13,153
1946-----	3,781	120	455	2	82	371	35.1	13,309	10,852	2,398	13,250
1947-----	3,215	120	385	2	77	306	41.5	13,315	10,582	2,663	13,245
1948-----	3,167	125	396	1	77	318	43.2	14,256	11,448	2,772	14,220
1949-----	2,971	135	400	1	72	327	43.6	14,533	11,881	2,616	14,497
1950-----	3,052	139	425	1	75	349	33.5	11,865	9,743	2,094	11,837
1951-----	2,770	166	383	1	73	309	45.5	14,523	11,716	2,768	14,484
1952-----	2,680	173	393	1	71	321	39.9	13,067	10,673	2,361	13,034
1953-----	2,404	179	377	1	67	309	46.4	14,577	11,948	2,591	14,539

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1945-----	473,880	119	56,221	354	7,502	48,365	37.7	1,762,536	1,518,091	233,290	1,751,381
1946-----	472,820	118	55,962	263	7,551	48,148	37.6	1,751,339	1,507,948	235,068	1,743,016
1947-----	431,446	128	55,384	222	7,133	48,029	45.3	2,086,151	1,813,162	264,557	2,077,719
1948-----	417,570	131	54,899	196	6,800	47,903	47.2	2,152,819	1,883,766	261,275	2,145,041
1949-----	399,380	141	56,154	187	6,685	49,282	45.2	2,110,011	1,856,927	246,028	2,102,955
1950-----	423,773	139	58,734	165	6,864	51,705	36.3	1,770,874	1,564,040	201,753	1,765,793
1951-----	410,200	175	59,265	148	6,552	52,565	47.8	2,303,441	2,093,411	254,655	2,348,066
1952-----	419,861	178	60,985	135	6,686	54,164	41.6	2,108,592	1,877,359	226,482	2,103,841
1953-----	403,960	182	61,704	121	6,557	55,026	47.6	2,444,288	2,184,984	254,472	2,439,456

COMMERCIAL HATCHERY AND BROILER PRODUCTION AND CASH RECEIPTS FROM POULTRY AND EGGS

CHICKS HATCHED BY COMMERCIAL HATCHERIES

Year	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
In Thousands (000 Omitted)												
1939-----	435	951	1,273	1,804	1,974	1,055	411	105	40	8	--	--
1940-----	363	740	1,191	1,739	1,894	1,029	333	59	37	15	--	--
1941-----	429	924	1,462	1,679	1,957	1,277	512	168	67	25	--	--
1942-----	414	936	1,773	1,989	2,295	1,089	432	36	18	18	--	--
1943-----	504	1,092	2,187	2,454	2,438	1,504	616	85	43	20	--	--
1944-----	610	688	1,500	1,980	1,320	270	200	100	--	--	--	--
1945-----	140	998	1,200	1,950	1,650	1,200	450	100	100	50	--	--
1946-----	90	560	1,070	1,410	870	150	25	21	21	21	21	21
1947-----	183	844	1,620	1,670	1,404	315	170	19	25	25	25	--
1948-----	142	587	1,294	1,653	1,220	467	108	40	46	57	46	40
1949-----	210	678	1,638	2,184	1,794	584	242	125	101	70	78	105
1950-----	369	877	1,804	1,886	1,435	615	271	197	123	164	246	213
1951-----	378	966	1,570	1,859	1,336	572	322	201	161	201	242	242
1952-----	377	1,174	1,972	1,766	1,255	646	269	197	374	404	281	305
1953-----	387	968	1,467	1,736	1,073	484	201	201	149	186	261	335

COMMERCIAL BROILER PRODUCTION AND GROSS INCOME

Year	Colorado				United States			
	Number Produced (000)	Pounds Produced (000)	Price Per Pound (Cents)	Gross Income (Thousand Dollars)	Number Produced (000)	Pounds Produced (000)	Price Per Pound (Cents)	Gross Income (Thousand Dollars)
1945-----	622	1,679	32.0	537	365,572	1,107,174	29.5	327,059
1946-----	560	1,512	36.0	544	292,527	883,855	32.7	288,603
1947-----	700	1,890	38.0	718	310,168	936,442	32.3	302,170
1948-----	910	2,457	40.0	983	370,515	1,126,643	36.0	405,171
1949-----	1,310	3,537	35.0	1,238	513,296	1,570,197	28.2	442,530
1950-----	1,638	4,750	31.0	1,472	630,816	1,938,000	27.4	530,147
1951-----	2,129	6,387	31.0	1,980	805,608	2,462,661	28.6	703,213
1952-----	2,129	6,174	31.0	1,914	886,813	2,698,574	28.8	777,864
1953-----	2,278	6,606	30.0	1,982	985,765	3,017,444	27.1	817,320

CASH RECEIPTS FROM POULTRY AND EGGS

Year	Farm Chickens	Commercial Broilers	All Chickens	Eggs	Turkeys	All Poultry and Eggs
In Thousands of Dollars (000 Omitted)						
1939-----	1,483	(¹)	1,483	3,074	2,086	6,643
1940-----	1,577	(¹)	1,577	3,279	2,127	6,983
1941-----	2,106	(¹)	2,106	4,331	2,318	8,755
1942-----	3,139	(¹)	3,139	7,712	3,996	14,847
1943-----	6,222	(¹)	6,222	11,367	4,155	21,744
1944-----	5,279	(¹)	5,279	11,144	4,953	21,376
1945-----	6,009	537	6,546	10,770	5,218	22,534
1946-----	4,723	544	5,267	10,852	6,264	22,383
1947-----	3,918	718	4,636	10,582	4,661	19,879
1948-----	3,480	983	4,463	11,448	4,620	20,531
1949-----	3,593	1,238	4,831	11,881	5,030	21,742
1950-----	2,787	1,472	4,259	9,743	4,555	18,557
1951-----	3,544	1,980	5,524	11,716	5,263	22,503
1952-----	2,499	1,914	4,413	10,673	4,556	19,642
1953-----	2,670	1,982	4,652	11,948	4,366	20,966

¹ Estimates not made for commercial broiler production in Colorado prior to 1945.

CHICKENS ON FARMS JANUARY 1 AND CHICKENS PRODUCED ANNUALLY, 1935-1954

Year	Chickens on Farms—Jan. 1			Chickens Produced Annually on Farms Annually ¹			Chickens Eaten Annually on Farms Where Produced			Chickens Sold From Farms Annually			Gross ² Income		Chickens Raised		Chickens Lost		Average Live Wt. Per Head Sold
	Hens & Pullets Number	All Chickens		Number	Value	Thou- sands	Number	Value	Thou- sands	Number	Per Head	Total	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Dollars	Number	Number	Thou- sands	Thou- sands	
		Thou- sands	Per Head																
1935	3,210	3,527	42	1,481	2,401	1,399	755	4,446	2,401	1,399	54	1,876	2,631	5,010	564	5,010	564	4.0	
1936	2,778	3,100	67	2,077	3,204	2,039	1,183	5,224	3,204	2,039	58	1,870	3,225	6,020	496	6,020	496	4.0	
1937	2,980	3,360	56	1,882	2,638	1,999	1,159	4,549	2,638	1,999	58	1,659	2,818	5,120	571	5,120	571	4.2	
1938	2,785	3,050	60	1,830	2,685	1,944	1,069	4,882	2,685	1,944	47	1,467	2,586	5,400	518	5,400	518	3.9	
1939	3,011	3,320	60	1,992	2,431	2,217	1,217	4,824	2,431	2,217	43	1,483	2,307	6,252	598	6,252	598	3.7	
1940	3,263	3,609	50	1,904	2,454	1,746	723	3,804	2,454	1,746	47	1,577	2,300	5,377	577	5,377	577	4.1	
1941	3,059	3,319	55	1,825	3,401	1,798	952	4,076	3,401	1,798	57	2,105	3,058	6,667	597	6,667	597	3.9	
1942	3,593	3,918	74	2,899	4,888	1,761	1,091	4,230	4,888	1,761	73	3,139	4,015	7,734	744	7,734	744	4.1	
1943	4,421	4,821	90	4,339	8,004	1,630	1,387	6,822	8,004	1,630	91	6,222	7,609	9,668	723	9,668	723	4.0	
1944	4,782	5,254	104	4,546	9,374	1,606	1,237	7,549	9,374	1,606	95	6,222	7,609	9,668	723	9,668	723	4.4	
1945	3,744	4,106	113	4,164	7,549	1,549	1,442	6,289	7,549	1,549	96	6,009	7,451	8,701	761	8,701	761	3.9	
1946	3,781	4,106	113	4,164	7,549	1,549	1,442	6,289	7,549	1,549	96	6,009	7,451	8,701	761	8,701	761	4.0	
1947	3,215	3,423	125	4,279	5,822	1,643	1,578	3,833	5,822	1,643	102	4,723	5,921	6,352	780	6,352	780	3.8	
1948	3,167	3,344	140	4,682	4,926	1,684	1,625	3,131	4,926	1,684	102	3,918	5,496	6,034	650	6,034	650	3.8	
1949	2,971	3,183	150	4,774	5,174	1,560	1,519	3,515	5,174	1,560	111	3,593	5,112	5,812	668	5,812	668	3.8	
1950	2,952	3,243	124	4,021	4,531	1,443	1,068	3,399	4,531	1,443	82	2,787	3,855	5,115	584	5,115	584	4.1	
1951	2,770	2,932	125	3,665	4,680	1,457	1,231	4,020	4,680	1,457	88	3,544	4,795	5,943	586	5,943	586	3.8	
1952	2,680	2,802	125	3,502	4,483	1,630	1,085	3,253	4,483	1,630	77	2,499	3,584	5,033	560	5,033	560	3.9	
1953	2,404	2,502	120	3,002	3,771	1,377	1,061	3,119	3,771	1,377	86	2,670	3,731	5,043	500	5,043	500	4.0	
1954	2,431	2,549	120	3,059	3,771	1,377	1,061	3,119	3,771	1,377	86	2,670	3,731	5,043	500	5,043	500	4.0	
UNITED STATES																			
1935	850,407	389,958	54.4	212,071	597,769	331,939	218,796	116,429	218,796	331,939	365,485	207,361	323,790	668,844	60,575	668,844	60,575	3.9	
1936	362,619	463,446	75.5	304,725	650,608	386,116	194,416	134,416	386,116	386,116	539,989	239,181	373,697	715,034	64,426	715,034	64,426	3.9	
1937	379,754	424,921	65.6	278,120	532,580	332,299	215,067	123,143	332,299	332,299	351,410	224,826	353,971	601,747	67,478	601,747	67,478	3.9	
1938	352,964	389,624	75.6	294,718	583,207	336,689	227,810	123,088	336,689	336,689	326,430	193,195	320,283	650,685	67,592	650,685	67,592	3.9	
1939	376,141	418,591	70.0	232,832	521,063	224,783	110,439	110,439	521,063	521,063	376,383	183,597	409,087	696,655	73,442	696,655	73,442	3.9	
1940	392,655	438,288	60.5	265,000	535,563	283,749	201,164	92,300	283,749	283,749	369,846	139,435	291,736	631,705	78,142	631,705	78,142	4.1	
1941	381,315	422,841	65.4	276,460	604,115	404,835	197,699	108,303	404,835	404,835	412,322	164,000	372,075	744,956	80,841	744,956	80,841	4.1	
1942	427,911	476,935	83.3	397,509	751,843	569,089	193,688	123,116	569,089	569,089	493,042	288,729	517,845	844,276	92,435	844,276	92,435	4.2	
1943	468,959	542,047	104.0	563,986	913,707	904,605	170,620	166,614	904,605	904,605	689,937	369,214	862,828	1,001,392	87,685	1,001,392	87,685	4.2	
1944	523,587	582,197	118.0	685,901	724,871	723,684	178,670	155,474	723,684	723,684	611,901	634,918	790,392	832,063	107,192	832,063	107,192	4.3	
1945	473,880	516,497	121	626,259	749,102	861,592	183,401	175,394	749,102	749,102	609,271	676,593	851,947	890,443	91,341	890,443	91,341	4.4	
1946	472,820	523,227	127	662,734	746,094	748,094	173,063	159,271	746,094	746,094	629,437	689,173	814,297	737,632	91,142	737,632	91,142	4.4	
1947	431,445	467,217	144	672,600	635,729	708,119	165,851	159,271	635,729	635,729	491,461	547,839	727,110	719,418	78,689	719,418	78,689	4.4	
1948	417,570	449,644	144	648,293	536,172	688,372	153,262	140,613	536,172	536,172	401,613	345,0	410,966	710,776	615,076	710,776	615,076	4.5	
1949	399,380	486,876	166	622,994	552,536	673,682	156,216	146,792	552,536	552,536	440,944	410,966	643,854	795,099	82,266	795,099	82,266	4.4	
1950	423,773	456,574	136	622,994	552,536	673,682	156,216	146,792	552,536	552,536	440,944	410,966	643,854	795,099	82,266	795,099	82,266	4.4	
1951	410,209	422,625	146	644,951	577,827	635,626	157,715	143,603	635,626	635,626	412,843	410,966	540,274	635,130	84,637	635,130	84,637	4.5	
1952	419,861	449,925	153	689,293	524,641	503,245	155,620	124,849	503,245	503,245	389,233	385,876	615,489	683,481	67,018	683,481	67,018	4.6	
1953	409,960	429,771	141	606,935	524,855	512,187	151,017	120,592	512,187	512,187	364,298	381,385	501,977	614,955	90,100	614,955	90,100	4.7	
1954	413,653	439,271	143	629,024	524,855	512,187	151,017	120,592	524,855	524,855	364,298	381,385	501,977	614,955	90,100	614,955	90,100	4.7	

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² Value of chickens sold and chickens consumed on farms.

TURKEYS ON FARMS JANUARY 1 AND TURKEYS PRODUCED ANNUALLY, 1935-1954

Year	Turkeys on Farms—January 1			Turkeys Produced on Farms Annually ¹		Turkeys Eaten Annually on Farms Where Produced		Turkeys Sold from Farms Annually			Gross Income ²		Turkeys Raised		Turkeys Lost		Average Live Weight Per Head Sold	
	Thousands	Value		Number	1,000 Dollars	Number	Value	Number	1,000 Dollars	Number	Value		1,000 Dollars	Number	Number	Thousands	Thousands	Pounds
		Per Head	Total								Per Head	Total						
COLORADO																		
1935	143	2.00	286	1,331	493	1,330	48	130	448	2.70	1,210	1,340	500	500	7	7	14.8	
1936	140	2.75	385	1,617	688	1,200	51	120	596	2.35	1,401	1,621	695	695	7	7	14.7	
1937	181	1.85	335	721	1,188	1,118	43	118	686	2.46	1,688	1,806	730	730	9	9	15.0	
1938	168	2.20	370	1,741	702	99	40	99	652	2.48	1,617	1,716	710	710	8	8	15.3	
1939	178	2.40	427	2,369	1,072	80	36	80	944	2.21	2,086	2,166	810	1,082	10	10	15.2	
1940	270	2.00	540	1,995	911	72	39	72	972	2.19	2,127	2,199	920	920	9	9	15.3	
1941	176	2.10	370	2,584	839	89	33	89	757	3.06	2,318	2,407	846	846	7	7	16.2	
1942	229	3.10	710	3,852	881	105	24	105	914	4.37	3,996	4,101	888	888	7	7	16.5	
1943	172	4.50	774	4,801	851	105	21	105	852	5.00	4,155	4,260	861	861	9	9	16.5	
1944	172	5.00	860	5,355	988	103	16	103	878	5.64	4,953	5,043	870	870	10	10	17.2	
1945	135	5.10	698	6,107	892	123	18	123	914	5.71	5,218	5,321	947	947	9	9	17.3	
1946	94	6.40	602	7,146	714	94	15	94	746	6.25	4,661	4,755	720	720	8	8	17.6	
1947	47	6.90	324	4,792	588	122	13	122	567	8.15	4,620	4,742	590	590	2	2	17.6	
1948	53	9.00	477	5,195	759	89	13	89	735	6.34	5,030	5,119	761	761	2	2	18.7	
1949	63	6.10	390	4,562	720	95	15	95	719	6.34	4,555	4,650	723	723	2	2	18.8	
1950	50	7.00	350	5,452	722	113	15	113	696	7.56	5,263	5,376	723	723	2	2	19.0	
1951	60	7.80	468	4,582	722	82	13	82	721	6.32	4,556	4,638	723	723	1	1	17.6	
1952	48	6.20	298	4,394	635	111	16	111	631	6.92	4,366	4,477	636	636	1	1	19.6	
1953	48	6.20	298	4,394	635	111	16	111	631	6.92	4,366	4,477	636	636	1	1	19.6	
1954	36	6.80	243	4,394	635	111	16	111	631	6.92	4,366	4,477	636	636	1	1	19.6	
UNITED STATES																		
1935	5,499	2.18	11,982	57,002	20,487	3,812	1,428	3,812	18,827	2.78	52,412	56,224	20,821	20,821	334	334	14.5	
1936	5,741	2.82	16,170	66,623	27,682	3,437	1,485	3,437	25,550	2.41	61,533	64,970	27,981	27,981	339	339	14.7	
1937	6,308	2.06	13,106	66,213	35,941	3,697	1,495	3,697	24,297	2.62	63,406	66,933	25,755	25,755	384	384	14.8	
1938	6,096	2.49	15,154	70,477	26,574	3,261	1,291	3,261	24,861	2.66	66,192	69,453	26,887	26,887	340	340	14.9	
1939	5,669	2.56	16,315	78,510	33,201	3,209	1,297	3,209	29,891	2.37	70,715	73,624	33,587	33,587	336	336	14.9	
1940	5,569	2.14	18,312	77,738	33,572	2,998	1,170	2,998	33,209	2.32	78,345	80,843	34,047	34,047	475	475	15.1	
1941	2,26	16,273	32,497	102,643	39,6	3,282	1,170	3,282	33,209	2.32	78,345	80,843	34,047	34,047	475	475	15.1	
1942	7,453	3.08	23,036	105,982	32,359	3,467	1,297	3,467	32,497	4.47	144,760	148,957	32,802	32,802	446	446	16.3	
1943	6,000	4.37	26,170	168,362	32,359	3,871	1,297	3,871	30,278	5.20	160,044	163,955	32,809	32,809	455	455	16.2	
1944	7,429	5.33	39,623	351,704	35,170	4,014	1,682	4,014	34,749	5.72	198,731	202,945	35,616	35,616	446	446	17.4	
1945	7,029	5.79	41,014	424,740	39,708	4,392	1,682	4,392	40,339	6.36	241,395	245,847	42,900	42,900	430	430	17.4	
1946	7,862	5.75	45,228	260,106	39,746	4,423	1,682	4,423	40,339	6.36	241,395	245,847	42,900	42,900	430	430	17.4	
1947	8,879	6.54	38,451	33,693	223,136	4,315	1,682	4,315	34,988	6.61	231,568	236,823	33,975	33,975	381	381	18.1	
1948	3,959	6.97	27,606	268,709	666	5,802	3,001	5,802	30,017	8.56	267,891	262,693	31,654	31,654	195	195	18.3	
1949	4,622	8.80	40,682	41,019	270,762	676	3,944	676	263,052	6.62	263,052	265,549	41,266	41,266	259	259	18.6	
1950	5,124	6.34	32,477	43,533	265,454	648	3,944	648	42,918	6.10	261,605	265,549	43,792	43,792	289	289	18.6	
1951	5,091	6.48	33,007	349,844	644	4,282	3,944	4,282	50,853	6.70	340,994	345,276	62,476	62,476	218	218	17.9	
1952	3,439	6.99	40,720	60,650	343,429	715	4,108	715	60,452	6.68	342,104	346,212	60,868	60,868	218	218	17.9	
1953	5,395	6.16	32,637	321,756	56,316	4,174	716	4,174	55,582	5.71	317,649	321,823	56,521	56,521	205	205	17.0	
1954	6.31	33,594	33,594	33,594	33,594	33,594	33,594	33,594	33,594	33,594	33,594	33,594	33,594	33,594	33,594	33,594	33,594	

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STOCK SHEEP, 1944-1953¹

(Number Assessed March 1)

COUNTY	STOCK SHEEP ² (Number)									
	1944	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953
Chaffee	4,338	3,475	3,457	3,916	4,126	2,227	3,245	3,416	3,027	2,378
Clear Creek	1,700	964	1,034	1,067	868	627	400	1,300	800	954
Eagle	21,476	28,183	29,057	21,710	26,230	26,963	25,770	26,579	27,081	22,680
Gilpin	144	100	100	100	200	200	133	133	133	133
Grand	12,385	10,993	7,818	8,354	8,522	7,221	7,689	7,569	9,641	8,274
Gunnison	47,612	42,384	36,605	32,384	30,501	29,650	26,135	24,328	22,659	22,934
Jackson	21,645	20,634	18,057	20,338	21,100	19,290	18,833	21,070	19,657	17,991
Lake	1,845	1,590	1,538	1,448	2,185	1,866	2,090	2,993	3,432	1,783
Moffat	128,986	118,255	119,485	108,070	110,319	98,517	99,897	107,001	109,215	106,584
Park	21,061	15,769	20,765	18,492	15,325	14,982	10,237	14,846	14,185	14,022
Pitkin	16,190	18,224	15,954	14,113	14,848	15,503	16,112	15,911	17,217	14,213
Rio Blanco	62,373	66,580	58,898	48,867	53,923	49,119	47,212	50,831	53,108	53,083
Routt	84,602	70,180	67,699	66,104	62,814	63,155	61,949	70,075	71,003	65,280
Summit	3,211	15,700	3,204	2,725	2,470	2,145	1,950	2,786	2,578	2,775
Teller	474	384	450	346	81	400	783	---	224	28
Total Northwest District	428,042	413,355	384,121	348,024	353,512	331,865	322,435	348,838	353,960	333,612
Boulder	4,579	2,172	1,839	1,360	1,547	1,255	655	1,133	1,145	1,134
Jefferson	2,009	1,408	1,372	1,954	1,965	1,574	2,379	2,183	2,168	1,884
Larimer	19,349	18,840	14,129	13,831	13,429	13,109	12,234	19,648	17,109	19,112
Logan	4,665	4,236	6,893	1,945	1,423	1,043	2,096	4,056	4,431	5,274
Morgan	5,049	4,590	3,735	2,981	2,001	1,737	2,526	3,446	4,177	3,033
Sedgwick	3,143	2,455	2,197	290	89	70	5	478	780	753
Weld	39,635	35,165	28,363	24,274	20,026	16,792	17,553	19,226	29,390	19,431
Total N. Central & N.E. District	78,429	68,866	58,528	46,635	40,480	35,580	37,448	50,170	59,200	50,621
Adams	14,477	10,698	12,483	9,413	9,737	9,475	11,346	14,389	14,376	11,828
Arapahoe	11,511	9,163	6,018	6,074	5,020	4,315	5,079	3,821	5,531	4,057
Cheyenne	22,266	20,479	16,594	6,350	8,387	3,770	6,475	5,640	6,478	5,628
Denver	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Douglas	276	148	217	464	461	205	214	212	330	473
Elbert	25,523	23,125	20,770	13,028	11,215	10,009	9,285	10,034	9,673	10,909
El Paso	11,641	10,221	7,857	3,913	4,454	5,666	4,141	4,159	3,482	3,701
Kiowa	18,344	10,885	7,522	2,245	3,615	830	603	2,791	701	366
Kit Carson	18,423	17,174	9,397	11,890	7,926	6,622	9,446	8,227	10,022	7,967
Lincoln	32,293	21,529	15,074	7,100	9,491	7,090	5,588	8,984	13,665	8,761
Phillips	3,884	2,466	3,377	2,286	4,082	1,408	1,061	932	1,785	810
Washington	29,700	22,011	19,551	12,810	10,070	9,375	11,052	11,180	11,853	8,963
Yuma	4,148	2,122	3,797	2,681	1,569	1,200	2,029	1,561	1,622	1,610
Total E. Central District	192,486	150,026	122,657	78,254	76,027	59,965	66,319	71,930	79,518	65,073
Archuleta	24,699	23,478	19,818	16,494	16,712	15,841	17,487	16,200	16,190	15,717
Delta	37,109	29,020	23,963	28,138	20,431	25,797	24,298	24,589	25,814	22,414
Dolores	25,491	23,525	23,315	21,522	20,409	19,276	18,786	18,960	20,177	20,576
Garfield	64,630	61,481	52,646	48,574	50,619	48,362	51,488	48,890	49,676	47,449
Hinsdale	11,862	11,098	11,135	8,799	14,261	14,224	12,281	11,921	11,615	11,585
La Plata	32,183	32,632	29,545	25,049	23,390	22,695	21,134	20,715	20,389	21,505
Mesa	37,612	31,765	31,371	29,175	27,889	29,238	29,183	34,196	35,066	35,009
Montezuma	30,126	26,404	24,527	21,608	19,454	17,975	14,415	16,658	16,490	17,181
Montrose	66,787	61,304	54,614	53,021	51,146	51,574	49,635	52,514	54,360	56,674
Ouray	13,821	11,990	9,370	10,829	9,799	7,826	8,755	7,356	5,988	6,327
San Juan	3,895	5,706	8,880	6,817	6,559	5,905	4,082	5,420	5,817	5,196
San Miguel	37,557	33,587	35,286	36,110	36,655	36,406	37,621	34,783	36,064	36,402
Total W. Central & S.W. District	385,772	351,990	329,470	306,136	297,324	295,119	289,165	292,202	297,646	296,035
Alamosa	23,543	22,551	21,471	17,178	16,501	21,153	25,192	19,144	17,052	22,791
Conejos	59,305	55,342	53,429	49,176	46,283	46,633	49,055	48,665	47,237	46,041
Costilla	22,895	20,128	11,712	9,806	8,618	9,234	11,514	10,904	12,759	9,766
Mineral	9,105	12,222	10,088	8,525	1,856	7,205	7,215	1,053	916	1,224
Rio Grande	78,289	80,086	77,539	55,972	62,914	76,276	88,785	61,974	63,149	75,284
Saguache	59,269	58,947	53,746	47,854	51,959	58,338	57,672	42,021	38,895	52,350
Total S. Central District	252,406	249,276	227,985	188,511	188,131	218,839	239,433	183,761	180,008	207,456
Baca	15,296	9,050	6,952	4,958	4,412	1,915	712	4,551	3,663	830
Bent	18,728	8,806	13,159	10,437	13,656	15,784	9,967	8,958	11,814	6,204
Crowley	6,778	6,269	1,390	1,826	2,752	3,456	1,288	2,048	3,066	3,481
Custer	8,326	6,948	5,636	2,746	2,904	2,599	2,455	2,785	2,660	2,377
Fremont	1,701	1,313	1,478	805	1,975	1,585	1,426	2,756	2,952	1,438
Huerfano	24,597	24,182	21,704	11,820	11,911	11,122	14,552	10,302	9,821	6,537
Las Animas	45,904	37,526	26,570	17,414	14,456	11,061	10,718	8,398	8,951	8,140
Otero	17,913	12,589	10,072	7,597	10,398	11,238	10,076	14,177	16,905	10,111
Prowers	17,397	13,456	11,381	9,725	12,271	20,655	18,753	17,438	30,006	11,550
Pueblo	12,885	12,370	10,471	6,019	1,956	1,939	2,258	1,795	2,302	884
Total Southeast District	169,525	132,509	108,813	73,347	76,691	81,354	72,205	73,208	92,140	51,152
State Total	1,506,660	1,366,022	1,231,574	1,040,907	1,032,165	1,022,722	1,027,005	1,020,109	1,062,472	1,003,949

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LIVESTOCK—NUMBER ASSESSED MARCH 1, 1952, 1953 ¹

COUNTY	Horses & Mules		Milk Cows		All Cattle ²		Hogs		Poultry	
	1952	1953	1952	1953	1952	1953	1952	1953	1952	1953 (Dozens)
Chaffee	440	341	639	651	4,955	5,460	184	209	554	411
Clear Creek	118	125	44	45	223	277	2	---	70	60
Eagle	888	826	561	536	13,197	13,999	168	117	426	400
Gilpin	119	119	---	---	626	547	---	---	---	---
Grand	1,429	1,362	621	568	15,364	16,960	81	43	285	232
Gunnison	1,518	1,379	459	462	23,453	25,650	9	5	215	182
Jackson	1,925	1,619	465	395	31,560	28,158	28	26	152	128
Lake	68	57	57	54	877	1,001	---	---	---	---
Moffat	1,688	1,441	476	482	14,840	16,087	134	104	897	884
Park	1,041	919	258	170	17,903	21,075	27	14	---	136
Pitkin	571	543	257	197	6,125	6,738	192	132	193	166
Rio Blanco	1,481	1,539	574	522	22,930	24,160	135	115	424	407
Routt	2,734	2,562	1,697	1,663	34,384	29,145	478	231	1,573	1,446
Summit	325	291	75	81	3,660	4,024	17	8	47	31
Teller	529	695	171	170	4,574	5,354	4	7	105	150
Total Northwest District	14,874	13,818	6,354	5,996	194,671	198,635	1,459	1,011	4,941	4,633
Boulder	1,080	988	6,257	6,154	38,552	37,026	1,475	1,251	3,205	2,750
Jefferson	1,973	1,975	3,701	3,576	13,693	14,500	1,594	1,002	5,688	4,862
Larimer	1,753	1,471	5,401	6,191	56,736	52,737	3,983	6,350	4,191	4,212
Logan	1,590	1,210	4,760	4,579	70,190	67,288	3,353	1,650	6,904	5,610
Morgan	1,018	837	4,089	4,235	89,374	100,712	4,849	1,869	5,762	4,692
Sedgwick	338	309	1,034	1,031	18,540	17,924	929	617	2,068	1,899
Weld	2,018	1,918	16,470	22,552	261,105	262,094	7,098	3,173	14,240	11,198
Total N. Central & N. E. District	9,770	8,708	41,712	48,318	548,190	552,281	23,191	15,915	42,058	35,223
Adams	717	484	4,107	4,104	28,123	29,105	15,428	16,400	3,642	3,120
Arapahoe	1,105	1,088	3,381	3,752	14,097	14,532	1,300	737	3,104	2,334
Cheyenne	419	310	670	607	32,606	31,317	679	241	1,418	1,219
Denver	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Douglas	643	648	1,843	1,942	16,480	19,174	199	132	1,146	968
Elbert	1,118	1,118	2,965	3,370	42,036	44,054	1,107	626	3,119	2,700
El Paso	1,663	1,458	5,102	6,461	35,343	37,136	3,203	784	4,170	3,961
Kiowa	372	342	243	191	22,919	18,708	738	276	1,483	1,110
Kit Carson	1,253	1,090	1,158	859	49,297	46,988	2,843	1,178	4,788	3,754
Lincoln	618	563	1,168	1,171	44,989	44,326	1,175	664	2,772	2,210
Phillips	229	170	1,350	1,207	13,630	12,472	1,885	796	3,222	2,712
Washington	1,040	842	794	688	52,849	49,340	3,064	2,167	6,672	5,602
Yuma	1,404	980	2,959	2,784	53,153	50,854	4,851	2,374	6,150	4,842
Total East Central District	10,581	9,123	25,740	27,136	405,522	398,006	36,472	26,325	41,686	34,552
Archuleta	706	831	418	288	8,931	10,460	223	212	428	437
Delta	1,696	1,534	3,463	3,431	23,291	25,688	2,145	900	2,717	2,576
Dolores	194	166	92	61	3,477	3,628	143	44	266	174
Garfield	2,409	2,381	2,076	2,135	30,733	32,183	1,741	1,117	1,812	1,598
Hinsdale	220	207	40	32	2,424	2,724	---	---	20	18
La Plata	1,661	1,652	2,388	2,624	15,242	17,984	681	620	2,185	2,078
Mesa	1,942	1,903	4,823	5,120	36,207	37,535	1,952	1,337	4,427	3,699
Montezuma	741	980	1,717	971	10,277	13,872	345	489	1,205	1,202
Montrose	1,939	2,901	2,646	2,972	22,814	24,727	2,819	1,416	3,432	3,213
Ouray	341	362	207	237	6,056	6,298	75	14	150	121
San Juan	122	105	1	---	111	133	---	---	---	---
San Miguel	402	349	148	151	4,629	4,808	55	25	196	136
Total W. Central & S. W. District	12,373	13,371	18,019	18,022	164,192	180,040	10,179	6,174	16,838	15,252
Alamosa	666	629	799	887	9,584	11,239	463	708	894	823
Conejos	1,081	824	863	775	12,325	12,411	1,252	937	926	825
Costilla	278	237	148	135	4,747	4,598	417	328	303	298
Mineral	177	175	20	30	913	970	---	---	16	17
Rio Grande	947	857	1,102	1,020	8,312	8,877	4,016	2,954	1,326	1,138
Saguache	530	428	320	267	20,244	22,985	622	448	226	175
Total South Central District	3,679	3,150	3,252	3,114	55,925	61,080	6,770	5,375	3,691	3,276
Baca	815	603	660	870	32,894	23,580	2,122	742	2,716	2,246
Bent	436	328	732	765	24,688	27,726	2,120	1,102	1,874	1,618
Crowley	456	349	712	872	20,153	21,024	2,325	1,074	1,985	1,883
Custer	515	461	922	1,001	10,187	11,168	86	135	429	414
Fremont	832	761	1,189	1,277	13,378	15,572	1,225	---	3,146	2,573
Huerfano	1,065	826	696	736	15,471	17,313	406	270	642	567
Las Animas	2,166	1,866	867	662	46,900	45,307	303	189	1,232	1,104
Otero	883	737	2,061	2,111	33,922	34,599	4,724	2,197	3,665	3,270
Prowers	731	523	1,241	1,388	32,581	29,739	3,418	2,572	3,942	3,110
Pueblo	1,045	948	2,427	2,617	28,881	29,992	2,076	1,840	2,003	2,020
Total Southeast District	8,944	7,402	11,507	12,299	259,055	256,020	18,805	10,121	21,634	18,805
State Total	60,221	55,572	106,584	114,885	1,627,555	1,646,062	96,876	64,921	130,848	111,741

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LAND CLASSIFICATION OF COLORADO

-  Irrigated land
-  First class dry farming
-  Second class dry farming
-  Third class dry farming
-  Sand hills
-  National forests
-  National parks
-  Grain crop land
-  Grazing land
-  Forage crop land

